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FIFTY DEAD REPORTED IN A SECOND TERRIFIC CYCLONE IN ALABAMA DURING LAST NIGHT

TOWN OF GILLIAM IS ALL WIPED OUT

STORY OF DEATH AND DEVASTA-
TION THERE IS COMPLETE

BOLLINGER AND OIL CITY HIT

THESE TOWNS SUFFER SERIOUS
LIFE AND PROPERTY LOSS

RELIEF TRAINS GOING IN

Wires Are Down and Details Are
Lacking—"Katy Flyer" Is
Wrecked in a Washout

Shreveport, La., May 14.—Caddo and Bossier parishes present a scene of devastation today as the result of a tornado which swept them last night. The town of Gilliam is wiped out; Bollinger is badly wrecked, and Oil City is damaged. Fifty persons are reported killed and a hundred injured, but the wires are down and details of the disaster are unobtainable.

Relief trains carrying doctors and nurses to the scene are expected to return here today with the dead and injured, and hospitals have been prepared to receive them.

Following is a partial list of the dead:

At Gilliam—Mrs. J. T. Gardner and two unidentified men, one negro.

At Bollinger—Mrs. Marshall Davis; two negroes.

Injured: Mrs. Davis, mother of the dead woman; Charles Idem, family of six; E. Lincoln and wife.

In Oil City every derrick was blown down, but no lives were lost.

Storm Wrecks Train.

KANSAS CITY, May 14.—A southern passenger train which came through the devastated district reports great havoc. The "Katy" passenger train from Texas was wrecked near Conale by a washout, and the engineer, fireman and baggage-man were injured.

HARRY THAW IS ON TRIAL TODAY

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 14.—Everything was in readiness early this morning for the first hearing in Harry Thaw's effort for release from Matteawan. The hearing began at 10 o'clock. The elder Mrs. Thaw visited her son in jail here. Thaw remains well. He told his keepers he is ready for the hearing and felt sure he would gain his freedom.

Jerome was present to oppose Thaw's application and was assisted by District Attorney Mack, of Dutchess county. Almost at the outset a point was raised which may necessitate an appeal to the court of appeals, resulting in a long delay to the proceedings.

Thaw's lawyers questioned the constitutionality of his commitment. If Justice Morschauser is forced to rule on this point it will mean an appeal and weeks would be required to get a decision from the higher court.

Acting Supt. Baker, of the asylum today made a positive statement of his belief that Thaw is insane. He would not give an opinion as to the nature of his mental complaint, but was positive as to his insanity.

POUGHKEEPSIE, May 14. (12 m.)—After spending most of the morning arguing the constitutionality of the commitment, Lawyer Graham, for Thaw, suddenly dropped the point, saying he would reserve the right to raise it again. Dr. McGuire, the physician at the Tombs, where Thaw was confined, was called, and expressed a belief Thaw is sane.

KNOWS WHERE GUNNESS IS.

LAPORTE, Ind., May 14.—Sheriff Smutzer today received a letter from Milwaukee signed "John Williamson" in which the writer states that Mrs. Gunness is alive, that he knows where she is and will turn her over to the police within three days if a reward of \$5,000 is offered.

The phase of the case throwing suspicion upon Ray Lamphere as the man who possibly acted as Mrs. Gunness' accomplice in the murder of Andrew K. Helgalein, and later is believed to have burned the woman and her three children in the house, has crystallized into evidence suitable for presentation to the grand jury. Upwards of twenty-five subpoenas have been prepared for service upon witnesses in the case. It is safe to say that only tag ends of evidence remain to be gathered in Lamphere's case.

SAVE THE SOIL, IS "JIM" HILL'S PLEA TO THE GOVERNORS

"RAILROAD WIZARD" PRINCIPAL
CONFERENCE SPEAKER

OUR NATURAL LAND WEALTH

The Wastage of These Resources is
Ablly Discussed by Railway
Magnate

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 14.—James J. Hill, the "railroad wizard," was the principal speaker at the second day's session of the governors' conference at the White house. His talk was devoted to the subject of land resources and he discussed "The Natural Wealth of the Land and its Conservation." "Soil Wastage," by Prof. Chamberlain of the university of Chicago, and "Forest Conservation," by President Long of the Long Belt Lumber company of Kansas City, completed the morning program.

The visiting governors and scientists are apparently having the time of their lives. Last night the Washington board of trade tendered the delegates a banquet at the new Willard hotel.

"Jim" Hill's Address

President Roosevelt opened this morning's session and before introducing Hill announced that he had selected Governor Deneen of Illinois to preside at the afternoon session.

Hill then spoke, in part, as follows: "Two years ago in an address before the Minnesota State Agricultural society at St. Paul I reviewed the practical consequences, giving statistical proof of that national wastefulness which a competent scientific authority had already set down as distinguishing the American people. There facts were pointed out, not in the spirit of an alarmist, but in order that attention might be directed to a way by which the nation may escape future disaster."

The speaker then pointed out the enormous waste in the lumber, coal and iron industries, and in the soil itself. "We are only beginning to feel the pressure upon land," he said. "The whole interior of this continent, aggregating over half a billion acres, has been occupied by settlers within the last fifty years. What is left for the next fifty years? No longer can we say that 'Uncle Sam has land enough to give us all a farm.'"

He pointed to the progress of soil exhaustion which is creeping over the land from east to west, marked by abandoned farms in all the states from New England through to Indiana. He insisted that single cropping and other agricultural abuses were responsible for these conditions, and said the remedies are as well known as is the evil. "Rotation of crops and the use of fertilizers act as tonics upon the soil. We might expand our resources, instead of exhausting them as we have our forests and mines."

The Soil Wastage

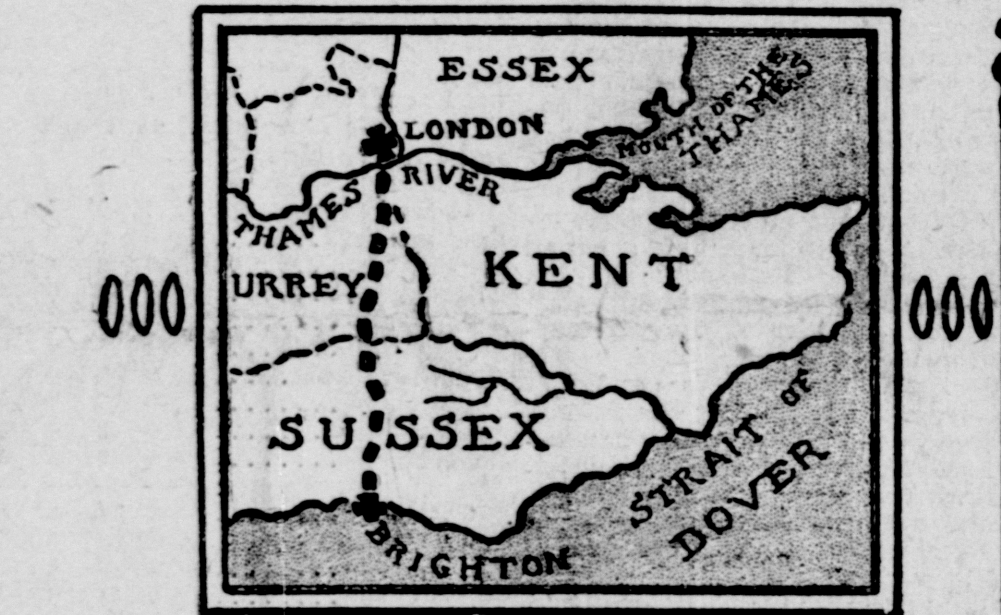
Thomas Crowder Chamberlain, president at the American society of advanced Science and head of the department of geology of the university of Chicago spoke upon the subject of soil wastage. He expressed the belief that the earth arose from a negative process and offers fitness for habitation for ages yet to come. He expressed the view that this being true it was fitting that the human race should devote itself to thought of its ulterior actions. He declared that production and removal of soils by rain went hand in hand and that they are controlled to a large degree by nature itself, and that nature makes for increasing fertility of soil rather than for depletion. He declared we do not hesitate to enter into the inheritance, but expressed the view the people did not take sufficient action looking toward maintaining and improving the soil.

He urged co-operation with nature in a great regenerative system for the betterment and preservation of the soils. He urged the cultivation of the soil by reservoirs and other available systems as the best and only means of co-operating with nature for the improvement of the earth's offerings.

VISITS SISTER HERE

Mrs. H. C. Cramer of Chicago, Ill., is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Gus. M. Wenzel, at 813 South Fifteenth street.

DISAPPOINTED IN LOVE ALFRED G. VANDERBILT BECOMES A PUBLIC COACHMAN FOR PASTIME



Vanderbilt coach an established part of England's transportation facilities. The Vanderbilt coach, Alfred G. Vanderbilt, and a map showing the route his coach takes daily.

LONDON, May 14.—Of all strange fads the brain of man has conceived none vie with the latest venture of Alfred G. Vanderbilt. Disappointed in matrimony, no desire for business, tired of doing nothing, no need for more money, a love of horses, these are a few of the conditions which influenced Vanderbilt to undertake the coach venture. As it is, he is making the trip daily from London to Brighton. Mr. Vanderbilt drives the coach himself.

This driving a coach and four at a breakneck speed in dust and rain is no easy matter. Only three stops are made on the entire trip. They are Malvern, Reigate and Crawley. At each of these places a complete change of horses is made so that the journey requires the use of three sets of horses. On the first trip Vanderbilt's brother, Reginald, chartered the coach and invited a number of his friends to make the trip with him. Among those present was Craig W. Wadsworth, second secretary of the embassy in London. Vanderbilt made the trip on scheduled time and was greeted enthusiastically along the route. At the stopping places and at Brighton American flags were draped in his honor and many cheered this unique coaching venture of Alfred G. Vanderbilt.

M'KEES ARE BOTH GIVEN A DIVORCE

NO ALIMONY FOR FORMER KEN-
TUCKY BEAUTY

BUT SHE GETS HER SON

Husband Must Pay \$200 a Month
Toward Child's Support—Case
a Sensation

PARIS, May 14.—Divorces were granted today on both Mrs. Hart McKee's petition against her husband and McKee's counter suit against his wife. The cost of the proceedings was ordered divided between the two. The latter is given the custody of her child, little Hugh Tevis, McKee's stepson, and McKee is required to contribute \$200 monthly toward his support. Mrs. McKee is wealthy and no financial allowance is made in her favor. Settlement of financial matters pending between them is referred to the chamber of notaries. McKee's libel suit against his wife and her father is dismissed, the court holding he has failed to prove them responsible for the press campaign he says has been waged against him in America.

The McKees were married three years ago in Europe, following the granting of a divorce decree for which Mrs. McKee's former husband had been suing for some time. Their married life was happy for a time, but disagreements soon became frequent, culminating last summer in Mrs. McKee's departure from their

home and the subsequent divorce proceedings. Mrs. McKee formerly was Miss Cornelia Baxter, of Kentucky. Her first husband was Hugh Tevis, who lived but a few months after their marriage. She was internationally famous as a beauty. McKee is the son of a Pittsburgh millionaire, and has long lived in Europe. The charges and countercharges in the pleadings of this divorce suit were most sensational.

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For the Following
GOOD THINGS
in the
Tribune Advertisements
TODAY

\$37.50 Axminster Rugs at \$29.50.
69c Enamelled Preserve Kettles 39c.
75c Umbrellas at 50c.
50c Woman's Lisle Hose at 29c.
1/2 Karat Diamond Rings \$25.
You'll find many others if you carefully read through every advertisement in this paper.

VALENTINE WRITES OF BOOMING WEST

PORTLAND RAPIDLY FORGING
TO PACIFIC LEADERSHIP

LA CROSSE IS SADLY MISSED

Former Alderman Remembers City
of Birth and Connections Here—
Offers a Helping Hand

Lents, Oregon, May 5, 1908.
The Tribune Pub. Co.,
La Crosse, Wis.
Gentlemen:
Enclosed please find P. O. order for which you will please send us the Tribune daily. I find it next to daily bread and can't do without the Tribune, not saying a word against the other papers. The Tribune seems to publish all the truth, not only a part of the truth. While we are so far away from La Crosse and the news of a La Crosse paper reaches us four or five days after publication, it is always good news to us. I can say no word in favor of another city without first of all remembering the beautiful city La Crosse, the city in which I was born and in which I lived for over 44 years. There may be other cities more beautiful than La Crosse but they must go a long distance to find them. I shall always have a warm spot in my heart for her and my many friends, a number of which I was unable to see before coming here.
I miss in a larger measure my con-

(Continued on page 6.)

EASTON TRACT NEAR GOLF LINKS TO BE SWELL RESIDENCE SUBURB

LEWIS BEATS THE STRONGEST CASE MEYER FRAMED UP

ST. LOUIS BANKER AND JOUR-
NALIST IS TRIUMPHANT

GOV'T COMPLETELY BEATEN

What Has Seemed Persecution by the
Postoffice Department is Frustrated

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 14.—E. G. Lewis, president of the Lewis Publishing company, charged with using the mails to defraud in connection with the people's United States bank, was acquitted today. Judge Riner instructed the jury to return a verdict for the defendant after a motion to peremptorily acquit had been argued.

Lewis Bank was being organized when the postoffice inspectors swooped down upon it. The result was a fraud order which caused the promotion of the bank to cease. No depositor lost anything through Lewis' management, and Lewis made a good defense to the government's bitter prosecution. His bank, with its certified check system would have conflicted with the express companies and other concerns. Politics figured greatly in the prosecution, and the bringing of the charge against him. Although Judge Riner stated a demonstration would not be tolerated in court, the most affecting scenes followed. Mrs. Lewis was among the first to rush to his side. Lewis wept as he embraced his wife. Other prominent women residents of the University city embraced and kissed Lewis, and members of the jury rushed to Lewis and congratulated him.

The case on which Lewis was tried was selected by the government officials as the strongest charge they had against him, and was relentlessly prosecuted.

LOVES BRYAN BUT HOPES FOR JOHNSON

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 14.—When the democratic state convention met today it was announced none of the contesting delegations elected by the Bryan men would be seated.

These delegates threaten to hold a rump convention unless Bryan is at least accorded recognition in the platform. The resolutions committee has agreed to insert a statement in the platform that while Minnesota has great affection for Bryan it favors Johnson as having a greater chance of election. A fight is expected.

WILL KICK OUT FALSE GOVERNOR

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 14.—Gov. X. O. Pindall of Arkansas left today for Little Rock where, as he expressed it, he would "seize the reins of government from that big stiff; disperse the legislature and let peace and harmony reign."

"What will you do if A. H. Hamiter refuses to vacate?" was asked. "Oh, that's easy enough," he said. "Just a little persuasive motive power of the right hand, coupled with a few movements of the other extremities of my body, and the feat will be accomplished."

Pindall stated it was his opinion the race track interests were behind Hamiter's move to usurp the governorship.

FEARS BAD CLASH IN AFGHANISTAN

LONDON, May 14.—Rumors that Amir Habib Ullah Khan of Afghanistan has been assassinated and his violently anti-British brother, Naji Ullah Khan, reigns in his stead, was received today. Cables to India and the telegraph to the northern frontier are being kept hot with demands for confirmation of the reports. The Indian government is evidently much excited. It is conceded in government circles that if Nazi has succeeded to the throne it will probably be necessary to occupy the country with a strong force of troops.

TRUST COMPANY CLOSES.

CLEVELAND, O., May 14.—Giving the financial stringency as a cause, the Reserve Trust company today closed its doors, filed a deed of assignment to the Superior Savings Trust company. In the deed the liabilities and assets are placed at \$2,000,000 each. A preliminary statement says all depositors will be paid in full.

IOWA FIRM WILL PLAT IT AT ONCE

MANNING AND WELLMAN PUR-
CHASE 48 ACRE AREA

MYRICK PARK AND THE LINKS

LAND LIES BETWEEN THESE
BEAUTIFUL PLEASURE SPOTS

STREET CAR SERVICE THERE

Plan Is To Make This Territory the
Most Attractive Home Sub-
urb in The City

The 48 acre tract between Myrick Park and the golf links of the Shaghticoke Country club has been purchased from L. F. Easton by Manning & Wellman, a prominent Iowa real estate firm, and it will be immediately platted as a new addition to La Crosse.

It is the plan of the purchasers to throw the lots on the market at prices which they figure will induce their purchase by practically everybody contemplating the building of a home in the city.

The property lies in an ideal portion of the city, and promises to develop one of the swiftest residence suburbs. Its situation just east of the beautiful Myrick Park, and the proximity on its eastern boundary of the links, which give a view ranking in natural splendor with anything in the northwest, makes it particularly inviting, it being presumed the links will give it an added attraction for those who are interested in golfing.

The street car service already extends to the addition, and dwellers there will be assured from the start of ample service on one of the best branches of the city traction system. The platting will be done in the most up-to-date way, and the plan is to have the property laid out so many of the best lots will face the links, which will be separated only by the boulevard.

The work of tearing down old structures, houses and barns, will be begun at once, and it is proposed to proceed with the work at a rate which will enable the opening of the addition to sale at an early date.

Weather and Water



Cooler at La Crosse, 46; warmest, 52; wind, 4; precipitation, trace.

Extremes—Wallace, 34; Washington and Montgomery, 86.

The river will remain nearly stationary during the next 36 hours. Stage of water 7 feet, a fall of .3. Weather forecasts today:

Wisconsin—Showers and probably thunder storms tonight and Friday, rising temperature Friday.

Minnesota—Rain tonight and Friday.

Iowa—Showers and severe thunder storms tonight with warmer east portion, Friday partly cloudy with probably showers north portion.

Weather Conditions
The southwestern storm has remained nearly stationary, being central this morning in western Nebraska. It will continue moving slowly northeastward during the next 36 hours and will cause rain in this section tonight and Friday with no decided change in temperature. The pressure continues highest in the lake region and south Atlantic states.

Showers have been general throughout the Mississippi and Missouri valleys and from the upper lake regions to the north Atlantic states.

The following heavy precipitation (in inches) is reported: Galveston, 1.16; Shreveport, 2.68; North Platte, 1.34; Pierre, 1.56; Huron, 3.24.

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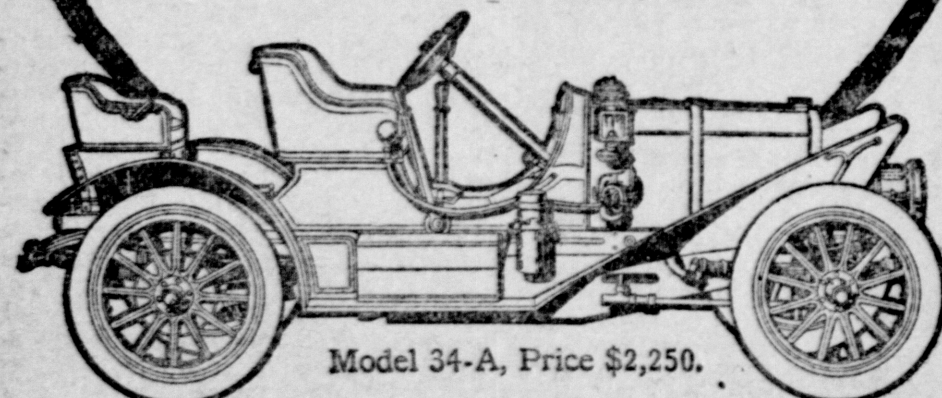
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THE SPORT WORLD

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WALSH IS THE FEATURE AND
LETS PHILADELPHIA DOWN

CARDINALS DOWN BROOKLYN

Minneapolis Loses the Only Game in
American Association to the
Champions, 4 to 0

Games Today.
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Louisville at Milwaukee.
Toledo at Minneapolis.
Indianapolis at Kansas City.
Columbus at St. Paul.
AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Cleveland at New York.
Detroit at Boston.
St. Louis at Washington.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
New York at Pittsburgh.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.
Boston at Cincinnati.

Yesterday's Results.
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Columbus, 4; Minneapolis, 0.
Other games postponed—rain.
AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Chicago, 2; Philadelphia, 1.
New York, 7; Cleveland, 2.
Detroit, 10; Boston, 3.
St. Louis, 2; Washington, 1.
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Pittsburgh, 5; New York, 1.
Cincinnati, 6; Boston, 1.
St. Louis, 5; Brooklyn, 2.
Philadelphia-Chicago, rain.

College Games.
Princeton, 5; Cornell, 4.
Penn, 5; Columbia, 4.
Brown, 5; West Point, 3 (14 in-
nings).
Yale, 4; Wesleyan, 1.

Club Standings.			
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Toledo	13	7	.650
Milwaukee	15	9	.625
Indianapolis	15	9	.625
Louisville	15	11	.577
Columbus	14	11	.560
Kansas City	10	13	.435
St. Paul	7	17	.292
Minneapolis	6	18	.250
AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	14	8	.636
Philadelphia	14	10	.583
Cleveland	12	9	.571
St. Louis	13	11	.542
Chicago	11	11	.500
Detroit	10	11	.476
Washington	8	14	.364
Boston	6	14	.300
NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	13	6	.685
Pittsburgh	12	7	.632
New York	12	9	.571
Philadelphia	11	9	.550
Boston	11	11	.524
Cincinnati	8	11	.421
Brooklyn	8	15	.348
St. Louis	8	15	.348

The Cardinals won the last of the series from Brooklyn yesterday by the score of 5 to 2. Konetchy had an off day, being unable to get a hit at four times at bat and was credited with one error. Cincinnati and Pittsburgh were also victors in yesterday's contests in the National league.

In a pitchers' battle in which Walsh was the feature yesterday the White Sox defeated Philadelphia 2 to 1. The Browns were also victors in a pitchers' battle over Washington, winning 2 to 1. Detroit defeated Boston and New York won over Cleveland yesterday in the American league.

In the American association Columbus won the only game, administering a shut out to the Millers, 4 to 0.

National League Games.
At Pittsburgh—R H E
New York . . . 000000010—1 6 2
Pittsburgh . . . 00014000—5 11 2
Batteries—Crandall and Needham; and Mathewson and Bresnahan; Camnitz and Gibson.
At St. Louis—R H E
Brooklyn . . . 100001000—2 5 2
St. Louis . . . 00005000—5 10 2
Batteries—Wilhelm and Bergen; Karger and Ludwig.
At Cincinnati—R H E
Boston . . . 000010000—1 3 0
Cincinnati . . . 02000301—6 11 2
Batteries—Flaherty and Bowerman; Welmer and Schell.

American League Games.
At Philadelphia—R H E
Chicago . . . 010000010—2 6 2
Philadelphia . . . 000000100—1 4 5
Batteries—Walsh and Sullivan; Dygert and Schreckengost.
At New York—R H E
Cleveland . . . 002000000—2 4 3
New York . . . 13000300—7 11 1
Batteries—Lattimore and Clarke and Rhoades and Graney; Manning, Chesbro and Kleinow.
At Boston—R H E
Detroit . . . 113200003—10 15 1
Boston . . . 003000000—3 12 4
Batteries—Mullen and Schmidt; Winter, Glaze and Carrigan.
At Washington—R H E
St. Louis . . . 100000100—2 5 2
Washington . . . 100000000—1 6 1
Batteries—Graham and Stevens; Burns and Street.

American Association Games.
At Minneapolis—R H E
Minneapolis . . . 000000000—0 3 1
Columbus . . . 002010001—4 7 3
Batteries—Fiene and Block; Taylor and James.

LA CROSSE WALLOPS GREEN BAY TEAM

VISITORS SHUT OUT IN OPENING
GAME

WEATHER A BAD FEATURE

Only a Few Fans Attend Owing to
the Cold and Rain; Game
Lively in Last Half

Games Today
Green Bay in La Crosse.
Wausau in Madison.
Fond du Lac in Freeport.
Oshkosh in Rockford.
Yesterday's Results
La Crosse, 3; Green Bay, 0.
Rockford-Oshkosh, rain.
Wausau-Madison, rain.
Fond du Lac-Freeport, rain.

Club Standings			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Madison	3	0	1.000
La Crosse	5	1	.833
Freeport	3	1	.750
Wausau	2	1	.667
Oshkosh	1	2	.333
Rockford	1	2	.333
Green Bay	1	4	.200
Fond du Lac	0	5	.000

The first game of the Green Bay series resulted in a freezout for the visitors, the game ending with a score of 3 to 0 in favor of La Crosse. The game started out rather slow and the fans who had braved the weather to see the performance began to look disgusted with the Green Bay bunch. After the fourth inning the visitors braced up and took an interest in things and put up a good snappy game. The contest was the shortest of the season, lasting only an hour and a half. Jones toed the mark for the home team and held the visitors down to two hits while La Crosse pranced off with six.

Bum Baseball Weather
The cold, disagreeable weather kept away a great many of the ball enthusiasts, only sixty turning out. The diamond was in a rather poor condition and it was particularly disagreeable for the catchers who had to wade out into the mud every time the batter fouled. Schurch, the Green Bay pitcher, put up a good game although the home team took a notion to fall on his twists once in a while. Jones pitched an exceptionally good game and was backed by good support.

Corrigan, the manager and left fielder, was the first of the visitors to face Jones. He met the ball for a short fly, but failed to reach first. Taylor, the Indian third baseman, fanned out, and Olson sent a roller to Bues who threw to first cutting off the runner. Graves slugged a hot one into center field, where it was captured by Olson and Tracy reached first on an error. Heppel worked for a walk but was put out from pitcher to shortstop. Duchien came in for his usual base on balls and Bues got the ball in his anatomy taking the first bag. Harms batted out a hot one to shortstop and Tracey scored on the throw in to catcher. Becker batted a nice one into the second baseman's hands, retiring the side.

Dolan batted one to shortstop who handled it and Monroe walked. Grodnick reached first on an error by Love and Johnson the next man to bat, was caught out by Heppel. Wallace failed to make connections with the ball. Love batted a roller to Dolan and Jones struck out. Graves took first on balls but was put out trying to steal second. Schurch failed to reach first and Corrigan got the ball in the arm advancing the pitcher to second. Taylor slugged one into Graves' hands and Olson followed with a safe hit. Dolan went out from second to first.

La Crosse failed to make a hit in the third and nobody walked. Monroe landed on the ball for a two-bagger into left field in the fourth but died on third base. Grodnick went out from pitcher to first and Johnson fanned. Wallace "flew" to Heppel. Harms was hit by a pitched ball and went to first. Becker followed with a safe single into right field and Harms advanced to second. Love bunted and reached first and Jones followed with a scorcher into left field. Graves took his base on balls bringing Becker in. Tracey and Heppel both fanned out. The visitors went out in one, two, three order in the fifth, failing to get a hit off Jones. Duchien slugged a hot foul into the neighborhood of the visitors stand, and the Indian third baseman after a fast sprint and falling over a bunch of bats caught the ball with one hand. Bues scored a hit, but was put out from second base to shortstop. Harms sent a lit-

BASE BALL

May 13, 14 and 15
LA CROSSE
vs.
GREEN BAY
Game Called at 3:15 Week Days
and Sundays at 3 P. M.

the roller to the second baseman who threw to Dolan putting the runner out.

Olson worked for a walk and got it and Dolan went out from pitcher to first. Monroe was caught out by Bues and Grodnick "flew" out to Corrigan. In the sixth Becker led off with a two-base hit into the far right field and Love followed with a strike out. Jones went out on a fly to left field and Graves secured a safe single on which Becker scored. Tracey was caught out by Grodnick and Graves died on second.

The visitors did nothing in the seventh except that one man got to first on balls, where he died. Heppel and Duchien struck out and Bues managed to get a hit but went out from pitcher to second. The rest of the game was an exhibition of knock up and catch, neither side scoring or even getting a hit and the game ended with the score standing 3 to 0 in favor of the home team.

Score:			
	R	H	P
Green Bay—	0	0	0
Corrigan, rf	0	0	0
Taylor, 3b	0	0	2
Olson, cf	0	1	2
Dolan, lf	0	0	0
Monroe, 1b	0	1	1
Grodnick, 2b	0	0	3
Johnson, c	0	0	7
Wallace, ss	0	0	2
Schurch, p	0	0	2
Totals	0	2	24
La Crosse—			
	R	H	P
Graves, cf	0	1	3
Tracey, 1b	0	0	8
Heppel, lf	0	0	3
Duchien, rf	0	0	1
Bues, 3b	0	2	1
Harms, c	0	0	6
Becker, ss	0	2	2
Love, 2b	0	0	3
Jones, p	0	1	0
Totals	0	3	27
La Crosse	1	0	10
Green Bay	0	0	0

Summary: Two-base hits—Monroe, Becker. Sacrifice hits—Grodnick, Dolan. Bases on balls—Off Jones, 3; off Schurch, 6. Double plays—Becker to Love to Tracey; Grodnick to Wallace to Dolan. Hit by pitcher—Bues, Corrigan, Harms. Time of game—1:30. Umpire—Miller.

Rain Over Circuit
ROCKFORD, Ill., May 14.—(Special.)—Rain caused a postponement of the game with Oshkosh yesterday.
FREEPORT, Ill., May 14.—(Special.)—The Fond du Lac-Freeport game was called off yesterday owing to heavy rain.

MADISON, Wis., May 14.—(Special.)—Rain interfered with the Wausau and Madison game here yesterday. The field is in poor condition caused by the heavy rain during the last 48 hours.

BOBBY PROTESTS SUNDAY'S GAME

FOND DU LAC, Wis., May 14.—(Special.)—Bobby Lynch has protested the game that was played Sunday at Madison between the Madison and Fond du Lac clubs. Lynch claims that the game being played on the park outside of the city limits, and the inclosure being small, it was necessary to make some sort of an agreement as to what number of bases a batter should be given if the ball went into the crowd that lined the diamond on either side. Lynch and Letcher, captain of the Madison club agreed that but one base should be given. Letcher, for Madison, batted a ball that struck a tree in the midst of the crowd of fans, and was given two bases. Letcher, the next man up, whanged the ball to the same place and being given two bases, scored Leslie. Had the agreement made between the clubs been adhered to Leslie would have died on the third sack.

PRELIMINARY TRACK MEET TOMORROW

The preliminary track and field meet of the High school comes off tomorrow afternoon. The number of contestants is unusually large this year and the material is very good. The meet was to be held at the fair grounds, but owing to the poor con-

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dition of the track it may not be held there, but at the High school track. Under the coaching of Prof. Benetz the boys have trained regularly and have come up to a pretty good standard.

The coach announces the contestants in the various events to be as follows:

Mile run—Stavrum, Youngberg, Jacobson, Mable, Stevenson and A. Dahlgren.

Half mile run—M. Novak, F. Novak, Strum, Sidsensol and Shirley.

440 yard dash—E. Kelley, Gordon and W. Tourtelotte.

220 yard dash—Bjornstad, Gordon Kelley Larson and Shaw.

100 yard dash—Bjornstad, Larson, E. Kelley and Shaw.

High and low hurdles—C. Bradish, Larson W. Tourtelotte and Werner.

Hammer throw—Arthur and John Dahlgren.

Discus throw—A. and J. Dahlgren, Stavrum, Brindley, W. Tourtelotte and Jungbluth.

Shot put—A. Dahlgren, Stavrum, Jungbluth, Tourtelotte and Brindley.

High jump—Gund, Bradish, Larson, Kelley, Novak and Stavrum.

Broad jump—Kelley, Larson and J. Dahlgren.

Pole vault—J. Dahlgren.

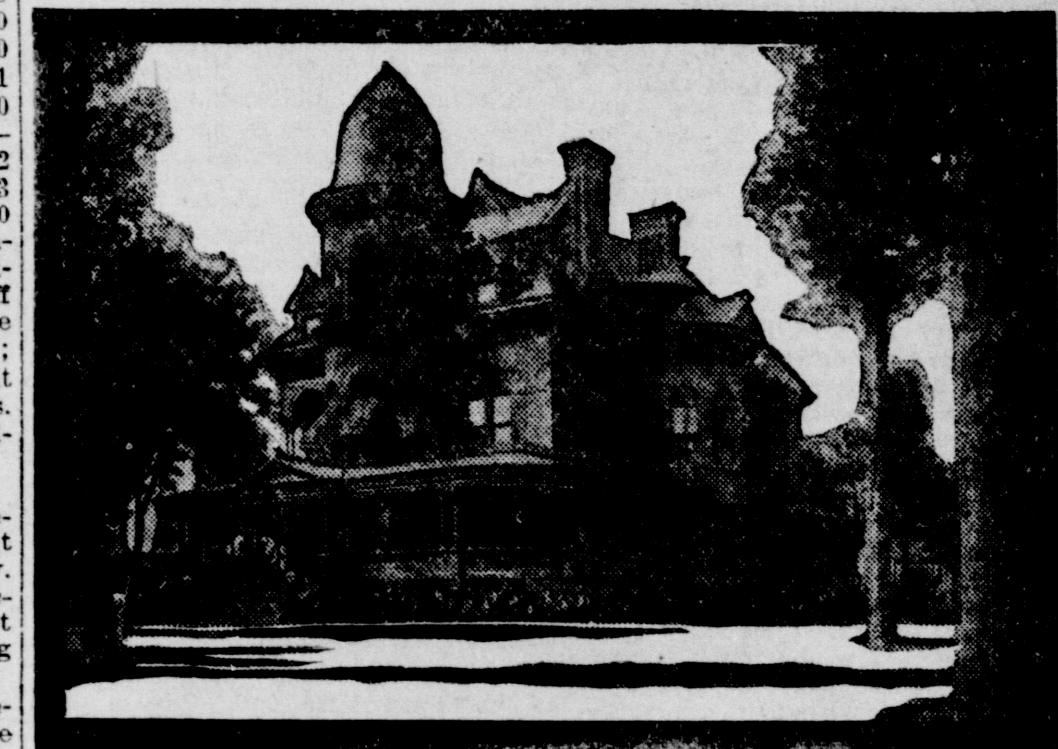
Replies have been received from some of the schools who will enter the interstate meet on the 25th of May and the rest of them are expected before the 16th.

AIMS BLOW AT PITTSBURG CLUB

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 14.—By a vote of 64 to 11 the Pittsburgh select council meeting which extended until long after midnight, passed the high tax ordinance, which tends to lay a daily tax of \$75 on the Pittsburgh ball club here. The special committee reported that Barney Dreyfuss had paid the special tax of \$150 a year only once in eight years he has been in Allegheny.

"Now," said the Sunday school teacher, "each little boy will tell in his own words just why he comes to Sunday school. We will begin with Tommy Tuffnut. Why do you come, Tommy?" "Cause me dad said he'd lick de stuffin' out o' me if I didn't," replied Tommy.

Kokomo Woman Gives a Fortune



Home of Mrs. Cora B. Miller, Kokomo, Ind.
In the past few years Mrs. Cora B. Miller has spent \$125,000.00 in giving medical treatment to afflicted women.

Sometime ago we announced in the columns of this paper that she would send free treatment to every woman who suffered from female diseases or piles.

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Every woman sufferer, unable to find relief, who will write Mrs. Miller now, without delay, will receive by mail free of charge, a 50-cent box of this simple home remedy, also a book with explanatory illustrations showing why woman suffer and how they can easily cure themselves at home without the aid of a physician.

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523 MAIN STREET

DECIDE ON PASTOR THIS AFTERNOON

A meeting will be held this afternoon at the Security Savings bank of the committee of the officers of the Presbyterian church when the matter of a successor to the late Dr. Joseph K. Fowler will be taken up. Several candidates are in the field and the committee will make their appointment this afternoon.

WANT EVENSON'S SANITY DECIDED

Relatives have made application for an examination of Gus Evenson for his sanity. He has been confined at the asylum but was released recently.

The patriotism of too many men extends only as far as their interests in politics.

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REV. L. L. SANDERS TO RETURN MAY 27

PASTOR WILL RESUME PULPIT OF TABERNACLE CHURCH

NOW SOMEWHAT IMPROVED

But Will Not Be Able to Take Up His Former Strenuous Methods for Some Time to Come

Rev. L. L. Sanders of the Tabernacle Baptist church will return to his pulpit May 27, according to a letter received by one of the members from Mr. Sanders at his home in Litchfield, Ill.

Mr. Sanders was not expected to live for some time, and the residents of the North side will be pleased to hear of his recovery.

It is not expected that Rev. Sanders will be able to take up the work as vigorously as before his sickness, as he has not sufficiently recovered, but he will undoubtedly do all that his physical condition will permit.

Choose most becoming tint: flesh, white, pink or brunette. Satin skin powder. 25c.

NORTHWESTERN TO USE TELEPHONES

Two new copper wires have been strung between Baraboo and Janesville, which will soon be extended to Chicago on the Wisconsin division of the Chicago and North-Western railway. This is for the purpose of substituting the telephone for telegraph in train dispatching. The new arrangement will not displace any of the men, but expedite the work. For some time this company has been using telephones in a small way but the new arrangement will replace the telegraph ticker entirely.

Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup is best for women and children. Its mild action and pleasant taste makes it preferable to violent purgatives, such as pills, tablets, etc. Get the booklet and a sample of Orino at O. T. Erhart's.

RAILROADS COMPLY

Circulars have been received by employees of the local railroads informing the men of a decision reached by the various roads to comply at once with the new sixteen-hour law which went into effect March 4th.

HATFIELD DAM PARK BEING BEAUTIFIED

The La Crosse Water Power Co. has made an appropriation of \$50,000 to be used in beautifying the shore of Hatfield lake, formed by the dam, and a crew of men are now at work cleaning up the land adjoining the lake and getting it in shape for landscape work and other beautifying touches. A car load of pike, bass and muscalonge has been ordered with which to stock the lake and in a year or two that will be one of the most beautiful summer resorts in the state. A number of lots have already been sold on the shores of the lake to people who expect to build cottages there, and a large number of people from different points have expressed their intention of spending a portion of the summer there this year. Three gasoline launches have been put on the lake and indications are that there will be several more before the close of the summer.—Merrillan Leader.

Expressing a Thorax
Dr. Leopold Jaches of Cornell's medical school recently returned from a study of the use of the Roentgen rays abroad. Pausing in an account of his tour, Dr. Jaches said: "Abroad, as here at home, the great public knowledge of the rays continues rather vague. Investigators receive all manner of queer letters and requests. Thus I heard in Berlin of a man who wrote to a specialist: "Dear Sir: I have had a bullet in my thorax for eleven years. I am too busy to come to Berlin, but hope you will come down here with your rays, as my case should be worth your while. If you cannot come, send a packet of rays, with instructions as to use, etc., and I will see if I cannot manage to work them myself!"

The specialist replied: "Dear Sir: I am sorry that my engagements prevent my coming to see you, and that I am out of rays just now. If you cannot come to Berlin yourself, send me your thorax by express and I will do the best I can with it."—Boston Herald.

Patently Waiting
"Now," said Miss Yerner, "you'd better go up and speak to papa."
"O," exclaimed Mr. Skokoche, who had finally proposed, "is he up yet?"
"Yes, he's waiting for you in the sitting room, unless he's got tired and gone to bed."—Philadelphia Press.

The Lord loves a cheerful giver, and his Satanic majesty loves the man who drops a button in the contribution box.

SHOE FACTORY IN OPERATION HERE

DAWES INSTITUTION STARTS IN A SMALL WAY

LEAGUE ATTENDANCE SMALL

Few Turn Out Last Evening and Absence of Secretary Singer Will Make Election Necessary

The North Side Progressive league held their regular monthly meeting last night and owing to the fact that the secretary was out of the city, there was a rather small attendance. The shoe factory that was to have been started with the aid of the league has started in a small way on George street. Mr. Dawes has decided that he will start on a small scale for the present and if the business is successful it will be enlarged accordingly.

It was decided that a committee be appointed to correspond with different firms in regard to getting them to locate on the North side. The association will in the future pay more attention to this matter.

It was also decided not to discuss the Mill street crossing until after the Mill street crossing and a vote has been taken on it.

Herman Singer, Jr., secretary, who was absent, is not expected to return to the city and if this is the case a new secretary will be chosen at the next meeting.

ANOTHER COLLISION AT MILL STREET

What might have been a serious accident happened at the Mill street crossing this morning when the south bound street car jumped the track and bumped into the car waiting to cross. The car was going at a slow rate of speed at the time, and this is all that prevented a serious accident. The reason for the car leaving the rails was that the tracks had slightly spread and the defect had not been repaired. The track is now repaired.

WOMEN'S CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

The meeting of the Women's club at Mrs. Chubb's residence yesterday resulted in the election of the following list of officers:
President—Mrs. G. L. Lueck.
Vice President—Mrs. C. A. Carter.
Secretary—Mrs. E. W. DeSautelle.
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. A. A. Bentley.
Treasurer—Mrs. A. J. Eberhart.
Directors—Mrs. F. H. Pope, H. J. Bullock and Mrs. Chubb.

LOWER WELL FOR NEW CEMENT WALK

The board of public works has started preparations for the construction of a cement walk in front of the pumping station. The top of the walk in front of the pumping station. The top of the well has to be lowered and a steel foundation placed before the walk can be constructed.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Dolphin of the Wisconsin Veterans' home, Wau-paca, are visiting at the home of George Jenks on Kane street. Miss Martha Jenks is ill.

Changeable
"What would you call the color of Mrs. Swiftley's hair?"
"I think I'd call it fickle."—Cleveland Dealer.

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HE LIVED 35 YEARS WITH BROKEN NECK

UNITED STATES SENATOR MONEY HAS STRANGE LUCK

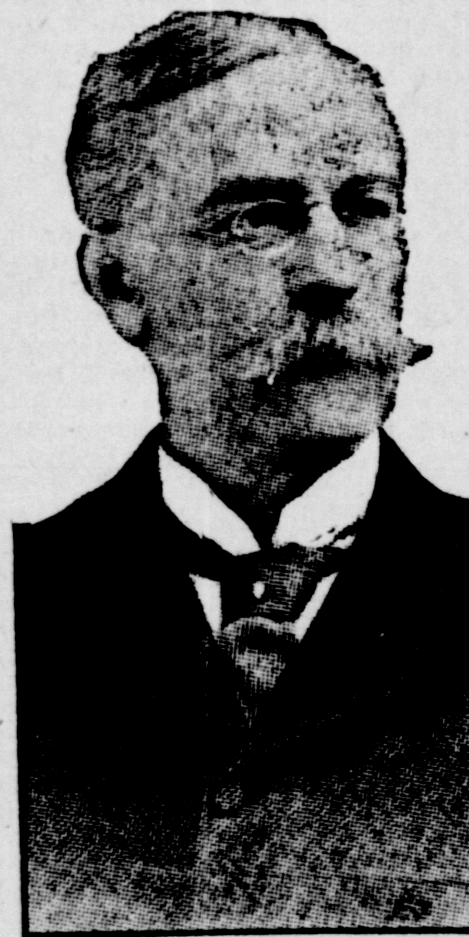
AN OSTEOPATH CURED IT

Three Decades and a Half After Civil War Accident Met is Sad in One Instant

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 14.—Senator Money is very reticent about speaking of his broken neck. It has just lately come to the notice of his friends and back of it lies some interesting facts in Mr. Money's life. He has lived 35 years with his neck dislocated and has not known what the trouble was. Recently he had occasion to consult an osteopath for neuralgia. The osteopath discovered that Mr. Money's neck was dislocated.

At the first battle of Franklin in April, 1863, Mr. Money was a cavalryman in the confederate service. While riding through the streets he was struck by a bullet that circled around his ribs, doing no other injury.

The shock was such that Mr. Money was thrown from his horse and struck on his head. Being helped



United States Senator Money

less he was captured and taken with in the federal lines. He did not ask for medical treatment, was exchanged later, rejoined his troops and fought until the war closed.

Years passed and Mr. Money entered the senate. Neuralgia had taken a firm hold of him and his eyesight had grown so bad as to approximate blindness. Senator Foraker advised Mr. Money to try osteopathy, which was just beginning to attract much attention. Mr. Foraker's daughter had been benefited by the treatment.

Senator Money went to New York, accompanied by his son, and visited the osteopath. Almost the doctor's first remark was:

"Why, senator, you have had your neck broken."

Senator Money denied all knowledge of such an infliction. The physician declared that one of the vertebrae had been entirely pushed from the top of the column supporting the head and was in a wrong position. He demonstrated that the muscles on one side of the neck were flabby and useless.

said the emfmo... Clyftocthha hh "If you had ben old enough to take part in the civil war," said the

physician, "I would say you were thrown from a horse and sustained the broken neck."

"That is just exactly what did happen," replied Senator Money, recalling the injury at Franklin.

"I can cure your neck," said the physician; "it will require but a moment's time."

The osteopath laid the senator on a table, took hold of the misplaced vertebrae with both hands and snapped it into proper position. The noise made by the bone swinging into place was like the report of a pistol. The senator's son, who was looking out of the window, turned in an alarm, saying: "Father, have you broken your neck?" "No," replied the senator, "I have just had it set."

The physician told Senator Money that he must exercise precaution until his normal strength. He was cautioned not to turn his head in looking at anything, but to move the entire body. These instructions were observed and the neck apparently became as strong as it was 35 years before the operation.

The resumption of the osteopathic treatment for neuralgia caused the strange facts to become known.

PRIVATE TELEPHONE FOR JUDGE FRUIT

Just as soon as they can be made, guide boards will be placed in the county building to direct strangers to the various officers. This was one of the things decided at the meeting of the building and grounds committee at their meeting yesterday afternoon. Orders will also be given for a new lawn mower.

It was also decided that the phone in the circuit judge's office be put on a private line. The judge has complained on several occasions of the party line, people ringing him at busy times to inquire for officials located in other parts of the building.

ESCAPED LUNATIC STILL AT LARGE

As yet no trace has been found of Gust Rodderick who escaped from



Cake Baking Easy

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CITY LETS MANY BIDS THIS MONTH

The contract for the sidewalks around several school houses in the city will be let by the board of public works May 18th. The street improvements are to be let the 20th and the contracts for the furnishing of coal for the city buildings will be let the 21st of this month. Up to the present no bids have been received, but the members of the board of public works expect a number of bidders before the time expires.

MYRICK SLATED FOR A FAT JOB?

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 14.—Despite the rumors to the effect that Editor Harry P. Myrick of the Free Press has been chosen by Senators La Follette and Stevenson to succeed John Hicks as minister to Chile, the report is strenuously denied by Mr. Myrick.

In regard to the rumor Mr. Myrick made the following statement: "There is absolutely not one word of truth in the whole story. The story was invented in local circles. Neither Senators Stephenson nor La Follette has ever mentioned such a matter to me personally and I do not think they have ever mentioned it to any one else."

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AN APPEAL TO THE COMMON-SENSE OF THE LA CROSSE BUYING PUBLIC

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**JOHN C. BURNS
FRUIT HOUSE**

PERSONALS

Change of program at the Bijou tonight.
Carl Olson expects to go out with a new Swedish dialect show next fall and will open here in August.
Dr. I. N. Cohen has returned from Milwaukee, where the operation on his eyes was entirely successful. Dr. Cohen says his vision is now excellent.

Seats now selling at Theatre for Gadskei Recital. Price 50c to \$2.50.
Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.
Edwin Evenson of Spring Grove spent Monday with friends in the city.

Andrew Khome and daughter Mabel have returned to Spring Grove after visiting friends and relatives here.

Henry Berke of Spring Grove, Minn., is visiting his sister who is at the Lutheran hospital here.

Mrs. John Vaaler of Spring Grove spent Monday with her mother who is ill at the Lutheran hospital.

Dr. William Collier has returned from a visit to Caledonia.
Hack calls day and night. Phone 179, Gateway City Transfer Line.

Mrs. Fannie Wheaton of Caledonia is visiting her son Herbert E. Wheaton and family of La Crosse.

Mrs. Emil Kriese has returned home after visiting relatives at Caledonia.
Grand picnic at Leide's Park, Sunday, May 17th. Music by Kreutz's Band.

Jess Kellihan of Caledonia has reached the city to take up employment at the U. S. recruiting station.

The W. B. U. and Caledonia high school ball teams will play at the latter city next Saturday.

Frank Servis and family of Taylor, Wis., have been spending a short time in La Crosse enroute to Glendive, Mont.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.
Miss Edna Heller is visiting at the E. Reilly home in Hokah.

Mrs. F. Stellingware and daughter Helen have returned from Hokah, where they spent a day with Jacob Dabold and family. Mrs. Stellingware's parents.

Julius Kriese has returned from a few days' stay in Hokah and on Union Ridge.

Mrs. John Doolan and Mrs. Frank May have returned home to New Albin, Ia., after spending a day in La Crosse.

Mrs. Splitter has returned to Mound Prairie after visiting in La Crosse.

Anna Horthen of Preble, Minn., has returned to her home after spending a few months in La Crosse.

Henry Abrahamson of Houston, who has been ill at a local hospital is so much improved that he will be able to return to his home in a very short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Folkedahl and daughter Henrietta have returned to Spring Grove after spending a day in La Crosse.

Mrs. J. D. Johnson and daughter Bertha have returned to Spring Grove after calling on local friends.

Misses Magland and Wilma Rud were shoppers from Spring Grove.

Mrs. Johnson and daughter Lillian of Spring Grove have returned home after spending a week visiting La Crosse friends.

Mrs. Oliver Osgard and sister, Amanda Sodegren, have returned to Spring Grove, Minn., after spending Tuesday here.

Helme Ostlie of Spring Grove spent Monday in La Crosse.

Miss Julia Berke of Spring Grove is at the Lutheran hospital receiving medical aid. Mrs. Gilbert Anderson and her physician, Dr. Hexon of Highlandville, accompanied the young woman to the city.

Mrs. Elmer Frederickson has returned to Spring Grove after visiting her mother, Mrs. Edward Evenson, who is at the Lutheran hospital.

John S. Hansen has gone to West Salem on a business mission.

C. W. Graves has returned to Viroqua after transacting business in the city.

Mrs. Ellen Dorival of Caledonia is the guest of friends and relatives in La Crosse this week.

Col. O. Holway is at Merrillan on a business mission.

G. W. Traer has returned to Chicago after visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Colonel and Mrs. F. A. Copeland have returned from Florida, where they spent the winter.

Mrs. Alice Woolsey and daughter, Mrs. Oscar Lundgren, have returned from a three weeks' visit with their friends at New Albin, Ia.

County Croner Edward Cronon is still at his home on State street.

Sheriff Burns left this morning for Mendota with Mary Howland who was recently adjudged insane.

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INFORMAL AFFAIR FOR MRS. WILLIAMS

Mrs. Charles W. Noble was hostess on Monday afternoon at a bridge party for Mrs. Charles Williams, who leaves La Crosse on Saturday, to reside in Denver. Sixteen guests were entertained.

Mrs. Hudson entertained at a bridge on Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. Williams.

STRANGE MYSTERY OF MISSING GIRL

The local police have been notified to be on the look out for Miss Rose Belle Wilson, who disappeared from Viroqua three weeks ago yesterday under peculiar circumstances. Miss Wilson whose home is at La Farge, was visiting friends at Viroqua and three weeks ago yesterday she went to the Viroqua postoffice in quest of a letter and on failing to receive it she started sobbing and later disappeared and has not since been heard from.

She is 18 years of age, of prepos-

sessing appearance and intelligent. No cause can be given for her mysterious disappearance other than she was seized with an impulse to travel and left for a journey. Some advance the theory that she was inveigled into Chicago or some big city by an unknown person. The fact that she received no mail, however places doubt on this.

BIDS OPENED FOR COUNTY PLUMBING

Yesterday afternoon bids were opened by the county board grounds and building committee for plumbing at the county jail and Henry Nelbuhr was given the contract. His bid was \$254 for plumbing and \$124.50 for surface drain. The only other bidder was J. A. Train, for plumbing \$353, and for surface drain \$154.

TOMAH MAN SEEKS OFFICE OF SHERIFF

TOMAH, Wis., May 14.—(Special.)—George A. Henry of this city is candidate for the republican nomination for sheriff. Mr. Henry is the only candidate from this end of Monroe county and has a large circle of friends working for his candidacy.

If a guest makes himself too much at home his host is apt to wish him there.



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FIRE DESTROYS SPARTA HOME

SPARTA, Wis., May 14.—(Special.)—Fire destroyed the home of Dan Bigley on Wisconsin street late Tuesday night. At the time of the fire Mr. Bigley was at La Crosse and his wife was visiting friends at Tomah. The cause of the fire is not known, but it is thought that some one set it on fire, as the front door had been broken open. The fire had gained such headway before it was discovered that no household goods could be saved. Mr. Bigley carried \$1,300 insurance on the house, which was only enough to cover about one-half the loss.

P. E. Rumsey was a business caller at Westby today.

Mr. A. W. Tyler went to La Crosse today to attend the church convention held in that city.

Mr. A. H. Smith who has been spending a few days in the city with his brother Sidney, returned to his home at St. Paul today.

Mrs. Bert Miller of La Crosse spent a few hours in the city today.

Mr. H. F. W. Schaller of Watertown, S. D., is visiting with his brother Paul.

D. T. Tainter of Viroqua called on

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Wall Paper Cleaner...25c
Bug Bang, Kills easy 6742...25c
Moth Balls or Powder...5c
Insect Powder, the killing kind...5c
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Mrs. Miriam Jones returned home today from a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. H. D. Williams, of St. Paul.

Miss Stella Knudson left today for Wales, Wis., to visit her mother who is ill at the sanitarium.

Mr. J. O. Paulsen was a business caller at Tomah.

Mr. T. J. Tilton returned home today from a brief visit with his son Lester at Neillsville.

T. J. Ross returned home today from a business trip to Madison.

Sparta ran away with first and third place in the declamatory contest held at La Crosse last night.

Percival Hutson received first and Margaret Lang third. Evidently the "hoodoo" is not broken as yet.

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Diamonds and Opals \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00 up.

Single stone garnet rings \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50 up.

Heavy gold signet rings for men \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 up.

Signet rings for women, \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.00 up.

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Wedding rings, plain heavy gold 18k and 14k, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 up.

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Five new towns to be established this month in Whitman County, in the productive Palouse district of eastern Washington. Town lots on sale at Spokane. Great opportunity for business men and investors to invest their money profitably. For lots in Seabury and Pandora, sale will be held May 25; for lots in Kenova and Palisade, May 26; for lots in Malden, May 27. All sales by auction. Further information from F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

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WHO WIELDS HAMMER

DOMESTIC STRIFE AT END

When Husband Assaults Wife, the
Daughter Seizes Rifle With Which
She Fires at Father, Fatal

WATERLOO, Iowa, May 14.—While defending her mother from an assault with a hammer in the hands of her father, Maude Fleming, aged 25 years, slayed the hand of the assailant with a bullet from a 32-calibre rifle which she sent into his brain. Mont Fleming dropped to the floor unconscious with the ball embedded in his skull. He died of his wounds.

The Fleming family, consisting of husband, wife, son and daughter live in Buchanan county, two miles north of Winthrop, where they cultivate a farm. Their domestic life is said to have been anything but pleasant and their troubles culminated on Saturday when Mont Fleming is said to have attacked his wife with a hammer.

The assault was attempted while the son was in the field, but Miss Maude was an eye witness. Seeing no other way of preventing the peril that threatened her mother, the girl grasped a rifle and, it is charged, fired it point blank at her father's head. His uplifted hand fell limp at his side and he sank in a pool of blood on the floor, a gaping wound in his forehead just above the eyes. The girl who is charged with the shooting was taken into custody and was conveyed to Independence, where she arranged for a \$2,000 appearance bond. The family is well to do and has borne the respect of the community.

SURE OF COUNTY SEAT

INTERNATIONAL FALLS, May 14.—The Koochiching county commissioners have completed arrangements for the building of a court house here which is to cost approximately \$85,000. It will be modern in every particular. The townsite company donated a block of ground as a site, and as soon as plans are adopted bids will be asked for the construction of the building. This move means that International Falls is to be the permanent county seat.

FREAK WELL IN
SOUTH DAKOTAIT REFUSES TO GUSH, BUT WHISTLES
INSTEAD

BORE FILLED WITH SAND

Powerful Pressure of Gas or Air Be-
low Indicates Possibility of Oil
Under the Surface

SIoux FALLS, S. D., May 14.—On a ten-acre tract of land owned by E. E. Hanson of Davidson county, has been struck the champion freak artesian well in Central South Dakota.

The drillers had been at work only a few days when they noticed that the well was emitting a strong greasy odor. After the drill had reached a depth of eighty feet the freakish proclivities of the well became more pronounced. When the drill reached this depth a strong whistling sound came from the piping of the well, and this has increased in volume every hour since that time.

The drillers have since gone about 20 feet deeper, but the whistling continues to increase in volume. A pump was temporarily placed in the well, and when the water was pumped out it was found there was considerable sand in it.

An inch elbow about two feet long has been extended from the pipe, and when the cap on this is removed the gas or wind escapes from the well with such force that it can be heard for a distance of 300 feet or more from the well. This occurrence is said to be somewhat similar to what is encountered in the oil and gas fields of Pennsylvania and Texas just before a good flow of oil or gas is struck.

This leads the owner of the freak well and others who have visited it to believe that an oil or gas field of unknown extent underlies that immediate portion of the state.

CAR RIDDLED WITH SHOT

FERGUS FALLS, Minn., May 14.—A genuine race riot took place at Carlisle station, this county. A number of Greek laborers were employed by the Great Northern there and about ten o'clock at night a number of residents of the neighborhood gathered and attacked the Greeks' car with volleys of stones.

This was followed by pistol and

shotgun firing, which continued until all of the windows were broken, the lights were shot out and the car generally riddled with bullets. The Greeks crouched on the floor and escaped injury.

SALOON MEN DEMAND JURY

BRAINERD, Minn., May 14.—Six saloon men were arraigned yesterday, four on two warrants each charging violation of the Sunday law. Thomas Beare, Gus Nealey, Frank Theines, P. M. Johnson, John Wise and Adam Armstrong all pleaded not guilty and demanded jury trials. More warrants are said to have been issued and arraignments are scheduled for Wednesday forenoon. The Law and Order league had men here Saturday night and Sunday, and as a result there are to be between fifteen and twenty warrants issued according to the county attorney.

Hester: Gold Medal Flour makes the lightest sponge cake. Lever saw.

OUTLAW DECLINES TO WAIT

LEWISTON, Mont., May 14.—Sheriff Ed Martin and Deputy Sheriff Al Morgan have returned from their quest after the outlaw Mosney, empty handed. Mosney is wanted in Helena on a murder charge. They came in sight of Mosney just once, at a distance of nearly a mile, but the half-breed disappeared into a coffee, and although they were on the spot as quickly as possible, the outlaw had vanished and they were unable to come up with him again.

SEIZE 865 WALL-EYED PIKE

BRAINERD, Minn., May 14.—J. P. Saunders of the fisheries department of the state fish and game commission seized 865 wall-eyed pike caught in Mille Lacs and being shipped from J. Tolefson to Sprague & Co. The fish bore evidence of having been netted. Deputy Game Warden Rardin also came in from Gull lake with John Mashett and Jesse Brant, who were arrested on charges of illegal fishing.

NORTHWEST IN BRIEF

SIoux FALLS, S. D.—Elaborate preparations are being made for the annual convention of the Charles Mix County Sunday School association, which will be held at Wagner next Saturday and Sunday.

CROOKSTON, Minn.—A runaway on the streets here last night resulted in the serious injury of a daughter of Carl Ostgard of this city. The horse was frightened at an automobile.

WEBSTER CITY, Iowa.—The board of education has elected the teaching corps for the ensuing year. Prof. Ford, who has been superintendent for eight years, was re-elected. Quite a fight was made upon him, but he won out, the three new

members being for him and the two old members opposed.

CROOKSTON, Minn.—Supt. William Robertson of the north state experiment farm has received plans for the new industrial school at that place, one mile north of this city. The appropriation made by the state provides for the expenditure of \$15,000 on the building and \$2,000 on structural necessities. The plans are also on file at the state architect's office at St. Paul.

LAKE CRYSTAL, Minn.—During the thunder storm, which prevailed here and in this vicinity last night, T. C. Norman of Garden City township, suffered the loss of his barn and several head of horses. The barn was struck by lightning.

PIERRE, S. D.—After three days' delay the government steamer Mandan got through the draw in the railway bridge here last evening and

is on her way up the river on government work.

BRAINERD, Minn.—The Brainerd charter commission met Monday evening and organized by electing Edward Crust chairman; A. J. Halsted, vice chairman; Mons Mahlum, clerk; A. D. Polk, was selected as attorney for the commission. They will hold their next meeting Monday, May 25.

PIERRE, S. D.—All efforts today to secure the body of Annie Shields the little girl drowned in the Missouri river at Fort Pierre last evening, have been without result. The girl was the daughter of August Shields. The girl was playing along the bank with her little brother, when part of the bank caved in, letting her into the water.

BRAINERD, Minn.—The annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was held Monday evening and the following directors elected: W. A. M. Johnstone, John Leak, H. F. Michael, W.



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MARSHALLTOWN, Iowa.—Services, observant of Memorial day, will be held both in the city and at the Soldier's home on May 30. The oration of the day will be delivered at the home of Rev. Charles S. Medbury, pastor of the University Place Christian church of Des Moines.

EAST GRAND FORKS, Minn.—Damage amounting to between \$3,000 and \$4,000 to building and \$1,000 to stock and furniture was sustained yesterday in a fire which started in a partition between the store-rooms of a building owned by Sullivan Bros. and occupied by Charles Reed and Longtime & Karnes with saloons. Loss on the building and contents is covered by insurance. The saloonmen resumed business soon after the fire.

MANKATO, Minn.—The Mankato Electric Traction company has placed on record a trust deed for \$400,000 in favor of the Northwestern Trust company of St. Paul. This is

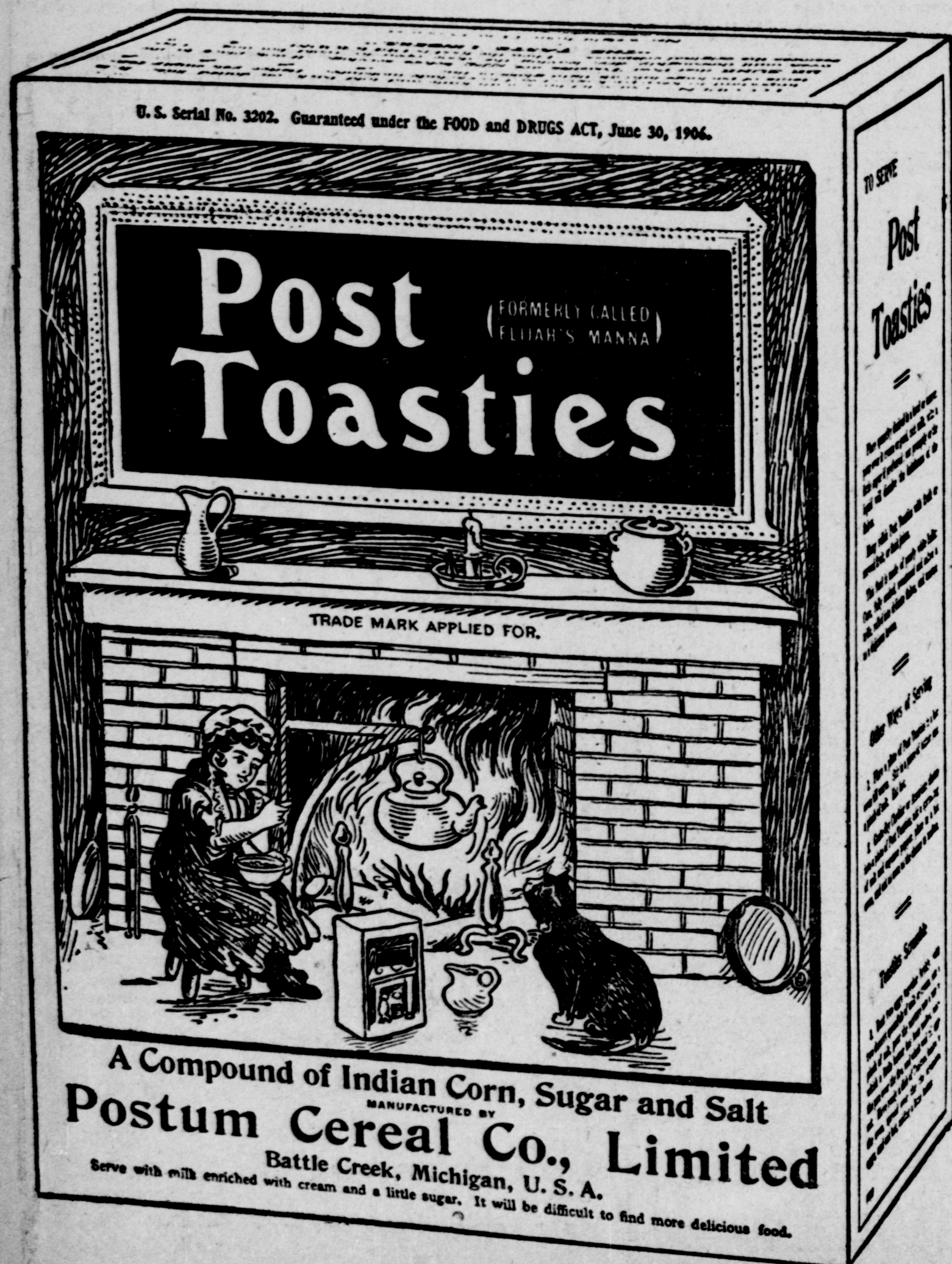
to secure an immediate bond issue of \$75,000 to pay for the construction and equipment of the road recently opened for traffic in this city, aside from the \$30,000 subscribed by citizens for preferred stock. The balance of the bonds are to be used when extensions are made on inter-urban lines constructed.

RIVAL FOR KENOSHA LAD.

APPLETON, Wis., May 14.—"Seven oranges, a couple of pineapples, and half a box of figs is all I ate," said 10 year old Willie Hoffenbecker to a police officer when asked to tell what he took from a car fruit that he and ten companions entered. Eleven warrants have been issued and that many boys will be haled into municipal court charged with stealing fruit from a car in the Northwestern freight yards. "I could have ate more if I wanted to," said Hoffenbecker in zaggadocio air as he belittled the gastronomic feat of the Kenosha boy who recently ate thirty-seven hard boiled eggs. "Seven oranges, a couple of pineapples, and a pound or two of figs ain't nuthin' for me."

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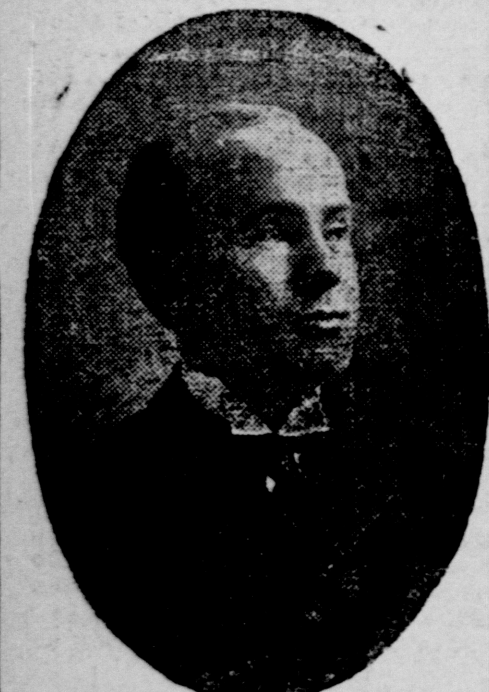
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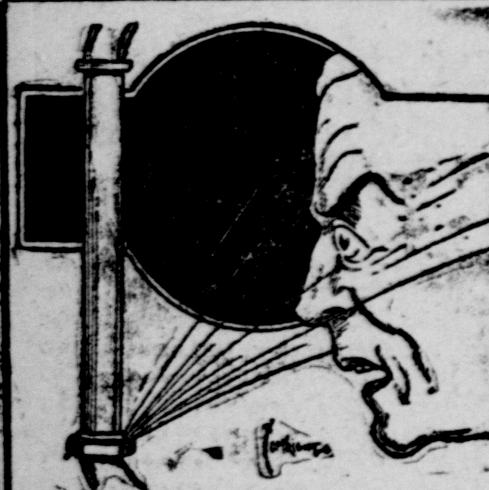
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WISCONSIN NEWS

RIFLE SHOT IS FATAL TO MAN

ED THERBACH IS SHOT BY WM.
KING, NEAR MEDFORD

MAN IS SHOT BY HIS WIFE

To Save Her Son's Life Mrs. Silk-
worth of Westboro Fires Upon
Her Spouse

MEDFORD, Wis., May 14.—Ed-
ward Therbach, a young man living
in the town of McKinley, was in-
stantly killed by being shot through
the head with a rifle.

William King, a farmer of the
same town, is in the county jail in
Medford on a charge of doing the
shooting. According to one report,
Therbach was shot while remonstrat-
ing with King for shooting over the
heads of a picnic crowd, King hav-
ing just come from a nearby saloon.
Another version of the affair is that
King shot in self defense to escape
a thrashing.

The rifle is said to be the same
weapon with which Tom McGown
was killed about two years ago.

Man Shot by Wife

A laboring man named Silkworth
was shot at Westboro by a re-
volver in the hands of his wife. One
bullet entered his neck and a nother
penetrated a shoulder.

Silkworth is said to have come
home drunk and attempted to kill
his son. With a revolver in one
hand he threw the son to the floor.
They struggled, the young man hold-
ing his father's hands. To save her
son Mrs. Silkworth wrested the re-
volver from her drunken husband and
shot him.

The man probably will live. Com-
plaint has been made against the wo-
man.

APPLETON MAN INHERITS FORTUNE

APPLETON, Wis., May 14.—Ed-
ward Witthuhn, a pattern maker in
the Valley Iron works, has learned
that he is heir to the estate of his
grandfather in Germany, worth
from \$50,000 to \$100,000. The owner
of the estate left all of his legal pa-
pers in a secret cupboard between
the inner walls of his home, and
shortly afterward was killed in the
Franco-Prussian war. His wife
died soon after he left for the front,
and the only child came to Appleton.
While making repairs to the Ger-
man homestead, the present occu-
pants found the papers and it is de-
clared that an old friend of the
former owner notified Witthuhn,
whose parents died in this city some
time ago.

MILWAUKEE WANTS NEW COURT HOUSE

MILWAUKEE, May 14.—A new
courthouse for Milwaukee county
seems assured. Upon resolution in-
troduced by Supervisor Jeske at the
meeting of the county board a spe-
cial committee of five was named im-
mediately to confer with the officers
of the various civic societies of the
city regarding a location. The com-
mittee was empowered to engage an
architect to assist in considering
plans for the proposed building.

If You Are in Good Form, Stay That Way

Men, and Especially Women, Who
Are Plump Are Most Liable to
Get Too Fat.

Many women, taking pride in get-
ting plump and just a little over-
normal in weight, little suspect that
they are cultivating what is bound to re-
sult in a serious overload of fat.
They are teasing it on, and it will
surely come, to rob the victim of her
cherished beauty, grace and form.

There never was a beautiful fat
woman, nor a handsome fat man.
Beauty is seen only in normal people
and often even in those who are real-
ly lean.

One of the most wonderful things
that Rengo does is to reduce the
weight to perfectly normal, where
the patient is neither too fat, nor too
lean.

This means that it does not take
off so much flesh that it makes you
look "ragged," but it takes just
enough off to make you appear in
perfect form. The flesh will be even-
ly distributed all over the body, and
you will weigh just exactly what you
should naturally weigh.

One of the surest ways to keep
from getting fat is to take a little
"Rengo" every few days. Don't fear
that it will drag off too much flesh,
because it will not reduce you below
normal. On the other hand, Rengo
is a health builder and it has been
known to positively put flesh on very
thin people and build them up to
perfect weight and form. This shows
what a powerful regulator it is. It
is a beauty keeper and a beauty
maker.

There is nothing "just as good" as
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package free by mail, if you write
them direct to Detroit; no free pack-
ages at drug stores.

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Crosse by O. T. Erhart's Red Cross
Drug Stores and C. F. & L. Runckel,
Druggists.

IRON SUPPLY STILL GOOD--VAN HISE

HE CONTRADICTS STATEMENT
OF ANDREW CARNEGIE

COPPER SUPPLY IS LIMITED

High Grade Reserves of Copper Are
Not as Plentiful as They Were
a Few Years Ago

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 14.—
That a review of the mineral re-
sources of this country does not war-
rant such extremely pessimistic
views as have sometimes been ex-
pressed in reference to the reserves
of iron, lead, copper and zinc, and
that it is not probable that this gen-
eration or the next will see any great
shortage of these metals, was the
substance of an informal address
made by President Charles R. Van
Hise of the University of Wisconsin
in discussing the address of Andrew
Carnegie upon the need of conserva-
tion of metallic resources, and espe-
cially of iron and steel, at President

Truth and Quality

appeal to the Well-Informed in every
walk of life and are essential to permanent
success and creditable standing. Accord-
ingly, it is not claimed that Syrup of Figs
and Elixir of Senna is the only remedy of
known value, but one of many reasons
why it is the best of personal and family
laxatives is the fact that it cleanses,
sweetens and relieves the internal organs
on which it acts without any debilitating
after effects and without having to increase
the quantity from time to time.

It acts pleasantly and naturally and
truly as a laxative, and its component
parts are known to and approved by
physicians, as it is free from all objection-
able substances. To get its beneficial
effects always purchase the genuine—
manufactured by the California Fig Syrup
Co., only, and for sale by all leading drug-
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Hello! Hello!

Give me a sack of flour
please —
No — that's wrong
Give me

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

WASHBURN-CROSBY'S

FOR SALE BY YOUR GROCER THE VERY HIGHEST QUALITY



Roosevelt's conference at the White
house today.

Iron ore available to the United
States, President Van Hise believes,
will continue to be discovered more
rapidly than it is exploited, and con-
sequently the known total reserves
will increase rather than decrease.
The highest point for known iron ore
reserves of high grade may therefore
be some years in the future. Never-
theless Pres. Van Hise expressed his
conviction that in exploiting the me-
talliferous ores it is the duty of this
country to do so in such a fashion that
the reserves of lower grade products
not now available because of market
conditions may in the future be ex-
ploited. It is also a national respon-
sibility, he pointed out, to use metals
which have been mined and reduced,
so that the yearly loss shall be as
small as possible. He spoke in part
as follows:

Iron Resources Large.

"While the additions to the known
reserves of iron ore available to the
United States which are to be made
by discoveries in the western states,
in Canada, in Mexico, in Cuba, and
in South America, are uncertain, it is
hardly possible that the amount
will not be very important; but as
yet there is no reason to suppose
that the discoveries in any of these
countries, with a possible exception
of Cuba, will reveal iron ore deposits
comparable in importance to the
Lake Superior and the southern Ap-

palachian districts.

"It appears probable, therefore,
that for some years to come, iron ore
available to the United States, will
continue to be discovered more rap-
idly than it is exploited, and that
consequently the known total re-
serves will increase rather than de-
crease. Hence the crest for known
iron ore reserves of high grade may
be some years in the future.

"While, therefore, it is safe to say
that the available high grade iron
ore will be adequate for possibly a
century, even if the rate of produc-
tion further greatly increases, it is
to be remembered that as the per-
centage of iron in the ore goes down
a larger amount of coal is required
to obtain a ton of metallic iron, and
that therefore, in proportion as our
rich ores are exhausted, the draft
will become steadily heavier upon
the most important of the under-
ground resources—fuel.

Copper Supply Limited.

"Although no systematic attempt
to estimate the copper reserves has
been made, it is safe to say that the
well known reserves of high grade
copper are at the present time very
much less than they were some years
ago. It is clear that the crest of
known reserves of high grade copper
ore has been passed, and it has been
suggested that, if we have not al-
ready reached the crest of produc-
tion of copper, we are nearing it."

French Lick West Baden Springs

The home of the famous cura-
tive waters. These waters possess
all the medicinal properties that
have made fame for the most
celebrated foreign health resorts.
They are unequalled for kidney
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— excellent hotels — sanitarium
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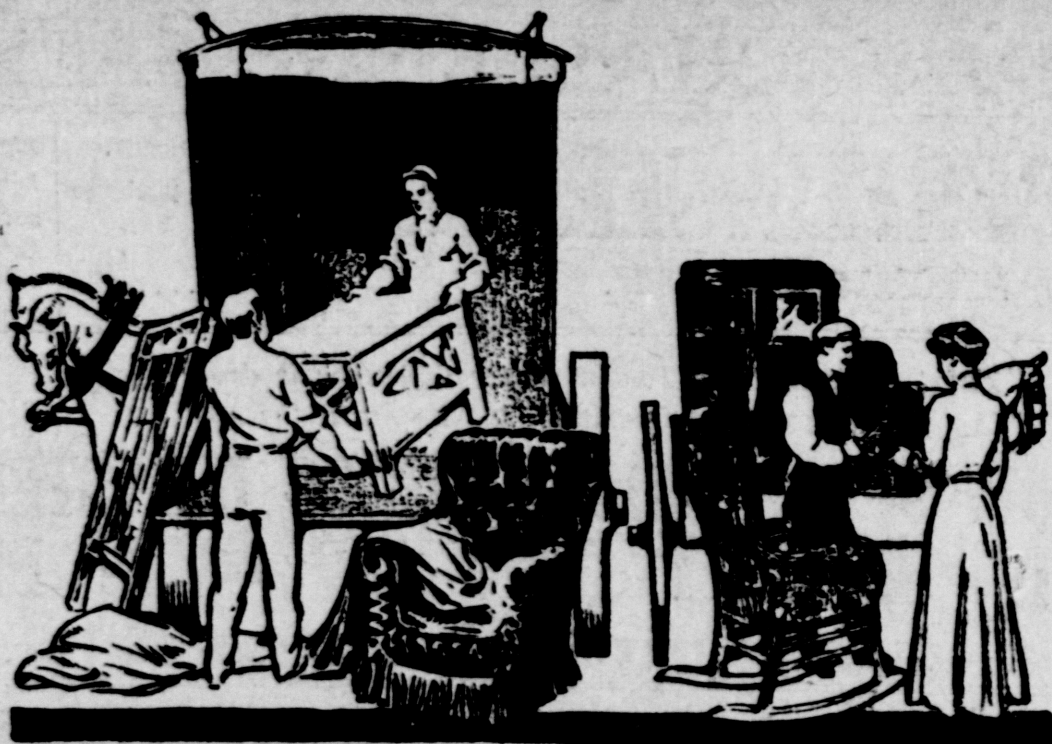
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Don't pay the expressman extra dollars for moving the old articles from the basement or attic; all that old material for which you have no use. You can save that money and turn this old material into ready cash, or exchange it for something you need by using The Tribune Want Ads.

Hundreds of La Crosse people supply their wants through the want pages of The Tribune. You'll find many people who will gladly pay you a good price for any old house furnishings you have, such as old sideboards, beds, carpets, old clothes, in fact, anything. Take a trip to the attic before you move and collect the things that you can dispense with. Then place an "ad" in the classified pages of The Tribune—where you will find plenty of buyers who are willing to make a deal with you.

1/2 Cent a Word Each Insertion.

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade, with equip shop for you or furnish positions, few weeks' complete, constant practice, careful instructions, tools given, Saturday wages, diploma granted, write for catalogue, Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—For U. S. Army, able-bodied men, between ages of 21 and 35, citizens of United States of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to recruiting officer at Hotel Grand, La Crosse, Wis.

WANTED—An upholsterer at 110 So. 2nd. R. L. Kenyon Co.

WANTED—A good collector who can give bond. Metropolitan Life Ins. Co., McMillan Bldg.

WANTED—Boy, Erhart Drug Store.

WANTED—Six good painters. Steady work all summer, P. J. Krogstad, 352 East Sanborn street, Winona, Minn.

WANTED—Man and woman to take charge of boarding house. Address W. Smith Grubber Co., La Crescent, Minn.

WANTED—Expert solicitor for city work. Must have good appearance. A snap for the right party. H. E. Wheaton, McMillan Bldg.

WANTED—A reliable man or woman to distribute advertising matter. Light work. Apply in person to W. F. Bummert, care Garder Ptg. Co., or evenings at 1025 Zeisler St.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl at Eagle Hotel.

WANTED—Two girls, Hotel Foley, 501 Mill St.

WANTED—Lady to work on alterations. One with experience preferred. Apply at The Continental Clothing House, corner Fourth and Pearl Sts.

WANTED—Dining room girls at once, Hotel Bronson.

WANTED—Competent girl; good wages; 116 S. 14th St.

WANTED—A cook at once, at Wilson Boarding House, corner 6th and Cass.

WANTED—A girl to do first work. 1402 King street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in the country. Call new phone, 929C.

For Sale

FOR SALE—A set of 12 volumes of Encyclopedia of Law, bound in half leather. Will sell cheap. Address, F. K. G., care Tribune.

FOR SALE—Second hand baby carriage. Price \$4.00. Address, 25, this office.

FOR SALE—A rare old square piano, beautiful intonation; a bargain in every way. 1436 Caledonia St.

FOR SALE—Automobile, Oldsmobile light touring car, cap. 426 S. 9th.

FOR SALE—Ladies' wheel, 316 No. 4th St.

FOR SALE—Two gas stoves, 1 water heater, 1 elegant bookcase, sewing machine and other household goods, cheap. Gateway City Transfer Co., 214-216 Vine street.

FOR SALE—Nine room house, good barn, fine water, everything in good condition. Inquire at 1322 Pine St.

FOR SALE—I have one nice corner lot left in a very desirable locality will sell cheap if taken at once. This is a snap. Address, 83, Tribune.

FOR SALE—One 8 room house on large lot with barn, \$2,100. Inquire 1227 Denton.

FOR SALE—"Crescent" bicycle. Inquire at the Mariner Pharmacy.

FOR SALE—All kinds of lumber at the Hill Veim Farm, by Otto Granke, 833 Rose St.

FOR SALE—Refrigerator, price \$6.00, at 1633 Mississippi St.

FOR SALE—160 acres good farm land, cheap for cash; or will trade for city property, 804 Cass street.

FOR SALE—Gasoline stove with oven, 627 Vine St.

FOR SALE—Horse, cheap. Inquire old phone, 2083.

FOR SALE—Coal stove and wood stove, 420 So. 5th.

For Rent

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room, board near by if desired. 518 Ferry St.

FOR RENT—Large 7 room cottage, sheds, etc., \$10. Madison and 21st.

FOR RENT—Newly furnished rooms, modern, apply second floor, Tribune Bldg.

FOR RENT—Furnished front room. Inquire 912 Vine.

FOR RENT—Furnished house, 403 W. Ave. So. Call between 11 and 12 o'clock a. m.

FOR RENT—Furnished room at 113 North Third St.

FOR RENT—Large newly furnished front room. Bath and electric lights. Board across street, 137 So. 9th.

FOR RENT—Seven room house, 212 Rose. Inquire 216 Rose.

FOR RENT—Four room house, 1018 Badger.

FOR RENT—2 nicely furnished rooms at 508 No. 6th St. Cheap.

FOR RENT—Small house, cor. Main and 12th. Enquire 113 S. 2nd.

FOR RENT—Four rooms for light housekeeping, 420 So. 7th. Enquire 914 So. 9th.

Bicycles

"RACYCLE"—The largest selling high grade wheel in the world. Weis Book Store, 509 Main St.

Sewing Machine Repairing

ALL MAKES of Sewing Machines repaired by experts. Machines rented by week or month. Rebuilt machines \$5 and up. Kenyon's 610 Main St.

Traveling Photographer

I AM prepared to go anywhere. Expert on views, groups, picnics, photo postal cards, commercial photos, panoramas pictures. Phone orders to Mariner Pharmacy, 425 Main St. W. J. Fitzpatrick.

To Rent

WANTED TO RENT—Modern cottage, central location. Will give long lease for desirable property. Address, A. B. C., care Tribune.

Money to Loan

MONEY TO LOAN—Diamonds and valuables bought. Stevens, 209 McMillan.

Novelty Reed Works

MANUFACTURERS of Reed Chairs, Baby Carriages, Sewing, Book and Music Stands, Clock Shelves, etc. Repairing and upholstering at lowest prices, will call; try us. H. Hauner, 613 Mill St. New phone, 787 Black.

Excursions

STEAMER E. RUTLEDGE can now be chartered for excursions. For rates and dates apply to F. J. Fugina, Fountain City, Wis.

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HEARST MCLELLAN FIGHT VITAL IN NEW YORK CITY



GEO. B. MCLELLAN

By NORMAN
NEW YORK, May 12.—More vitally affecting the politics of New York state than is even the coming presidential canvass, the McClellan-Hearst fight for the majority of the metropolis of the United States is nearing a close. Since New York state is the political barometer of the nation, the McClellan-Hearst fight becomes vitally important to the politics of the country at large.

New Yorkers are doubtful of the outcome. One thing they know. Even if Hearst wins in his battle for a recount, there is still a sufficient opportunity for legal maneuver to keep the final decision open until the first of next January. Then, if Hearst is counted into office, he will be counted into empty honor because the term of McClellan will have expired.

Hearst knows this just as well as the next fellow. It can be assumed, therefore, that the big journalist is not fighting McClellan because he wants to be mayor of Greater New York for a few minutes next winter. He is fighting him for democratic prestige—or independence league prestige, if you prefer. He wants the normal effect of having been wrongfully deprived of the majority. Perhaps he wants to work the sympathy racket when he runs for his next job. But it cannot be denied that if there be a recount which shows George B. McClellan to have been illegally occupying the biggest chair in New York city, at the expense of Willie Hearst, Willie will have a stronger platform to stand on before the people than ever before in his career.

Why does he want this platform? Only he of the wondrous yellow newspapers can tell. It may be another fling at the majority as a stepping stone to the state capitol at Albany. It may be another fling at the state capitol as a stepping stone to the White house in 1912. At any rate, it will be a stepping stone.

But the natural query in New York is, how can they ever recount correctly a vote which has been scattered from 100th street to the upper Bronx? How can they ever recount successfully ballots that have been stored in unguarded garrets? And then the average New Yorker unconsciously shows the thought to be faster to the wish. As a matter of fact, he likes Mayor McClellan better than he did at first. McClellan started out as a Tammany satellite. Then

he threw Tammany down. They weren't on speaking terms. And while New York gives Tammany excellent majorities at election times with surprising regularity, nevertheless New York likes to see Tammany get it in the neck. McClellan has made good as mayor. He has governed the big city as he has seen fit. He has done a good job. And so the loudest howler for a recount is one William Randolph Hearst, who has been specializing in loud hollers for many a moon.

So far over 500 witnesses have been examined and the evidence only tends to strengthen McClellan's case.

Of the entire number practically all have sworn positively that neither the ballots or the ballot boxes were interfered with in any way. Commissioner Dooley at the board of elections holds the record for having seen boxes which had been broken and ballots strewn about the floor. He began his testimony by declaring that hundreds of these ballots were scattered about on the floor, but under the rigid cross examination of Charles A. Dolson, special attorney general, who is conducting the case for the state, he admitted later that there might have been only "two or three."

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H. W. BAKER Cough Remedy is the best medicine on earth. Nothing like it. Runckel's Drug Store.

What we need is more schools that will turn out self-providers.

Financial
LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main street, upstairs.

Miscellaneous
TABLE BOARD—Reasonable price, 118 So. 9th.

WANTED TO RENT—A small cottage. Address A. Tribune.

WANTED—50 cows to pasture. Inquire Mrs. Koch and Son. Old phone, 2002.

LET ME CLEAN your wall paper. No dust, no dirt. Will call and demonstrate. Prices reasonable. Call 964A, new phone.

CURTAINS laundered at a reasonable price, at 2015 W. Ave. So.

WANTED—Good lively surrey horse weighing between 1300 and 1400 pounds. Will pay reasonable price. Address R. Tribune.

Architects, Superintendents
SCHICK & ROTH—Batavian Bank Building. Telephone 290.

An Eye to Business.—"Say, Bob," said the young man in the reception hall, "I'll give you a dime if you'll tell your sister that I'm here." "All right," rejoined the little fellow, "and if you'll make it a quarter I'll not tell father."



WILLIAM R. HEARST.

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Poultry, Dairy, Etc.
NEW YORK, May 14.—Poultry, both live and dressed, steady. Butter, creamery, 22c. Eggs, nearby white, 19 1/2c. Cheese, creams, 14 1/2c.

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DAILY MARKETS

CATTLE AND HOGS STILL ARE LOSING

DROP OF FROM 5 TO 10 RECORD—ED IN CHICAGO

N. Y. STOCKS ON THE BULGE

Market Actually Assumes a Tone of General Buoyancy in Wall Street Today

CHICAGO, May 14.—Cattle continued on the toboggan slide today, losses about 10 with small receipts. Hogs lost 5 to 10c with fair arrivals, and sheep were weak at yesterday's prices despite their scarcity.

Cattle, 6,000; beefs, \$6.10 to \$7.20; stockers, \$3.50 to \$5.40. Hogs, 25,000; light, \$5.15 to \$5.50; heavy, \$5.35 to \$5.52 1/2; pigs, \$4.30 to \$5.15.

Sheep, 8,500; natives, \$4.25 to \$5.90; lambs, \$7.25 to \$7.35.

Kansas City Livestock.
KANSAS CITY, May 14.—Cattle, 5,000; steady; steers, \$5.50 to \$7; stockers, \$3.50 to \$5.60. Hogs, 17,000; 5 to 10c lower; bulk, \$5.30 to \$5.45; pigs, \$4.00 to \$4.50.

Sheep, 4,000; steady; muttons, \$5 to \$5.60; lambs, \$6.10 to \$7.50.

Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT.			
May .. 100 1/2	102 1/2	100 1/2	102 1/2
July .. 90	90 1/2	88 1/2	90 1/2
CORN.			
May .. 74	74 1/2	74	74 1/2
July .. 64 1/2	65 1/2	64 1/2	65 1/2
OATS.			
May .. 54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
July .. 47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
PORK.			
May .. 13.32	13.32	13.25	13.25
July .. 13.47	13.47	13.35	13.40
MINNEAPOLIS MARKETS.			
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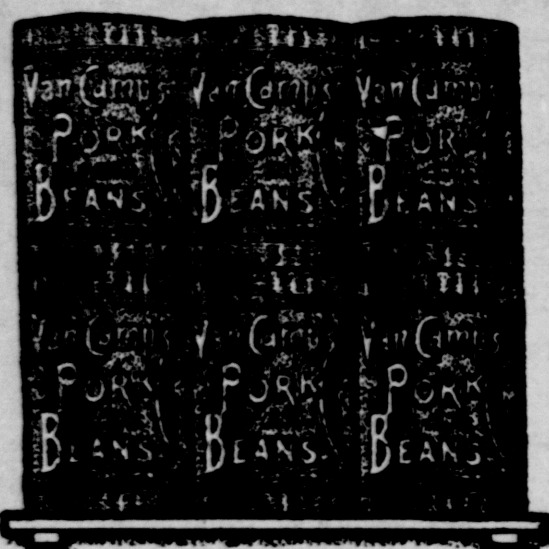
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These meals are always ready; and what do you know that's so good?

You will never bake beans at home again when you once learn the difference between yours and Van Camp's.

Note how nutty our beans are—how mealy. None are browned, none are broken; all are baked alike.

And note what a delicious blend we get. It comes from baking the beans, the tomato sauce and the pork all together.

It isn't your fault, but you cannot begin to bake beans as we bake them

You lack the facilities. Beans must be baked in a very fierce heat, else they are not digestible.

We bake ours 90 minutes at 245 degrees.

Then we bake in live steam. That's why our beans don't brown, don't burst. That is why they are all baked alike, and baked well. That's why they are mealy, yet nutty.

Van Camp's pork and beans baked with tomato sauce

Then you can't get the beans that we get, for ours are selected by hand from the choicest beans grown.

We pay for them seven times what some beans would cost.

Then our tomatoes are ripened on the vines—not in shipment. They are picked when the juice fairly sparkles. That gives to our sauce the zest which you don't get in other sauce.

The millions of people who know Van Camp's never want home-baked beans

We have spent 47 years in learning how to best prepare this dish. Is it any wonder we know?

Don't judge Van Camp's by some other brands that are cheapened at every point. It pays to get the best in beans, because your people will eat them more frequently; eat them in place of meat.

And beans are Nature's choicest food—84 per cent nutriment.

10, 15 and 20¢ per can.

Van Camp Packing Company, Indianapolis, Ind.

THE NATION'S CAPITAL.

(Free Press.)

A police census of the national capital just completed credits it with about 339,000 inhabitants. This puts Washington as a capital in the same class with Edinburgh, Mexico, Lisbon and Stockholm. The United States is exceptional as a great power in having its political capital in a city not of large population or great commercial importance. Washington is a made capital. Only as the seat of the national legislature which makes our federal laws is it of influence on the business of the nation. It long bids fair to remain a residential city. As the great industry of Washington, to which all others are attendants, is "working for the government," the development of Washington must be due to the mingled influences of its situation and its charm. Placed as it is on the border line between the north and the south, its population always includes an element that hails to look around for opportunity. More and more it attracts as residents persons seeking homes where the climatic conditions constitute for the greater part of the year "the just medium." Such feel the charm of Washington, a place which possesses all the urban conveniences and facilities and yet is free from the jar, noise, confusion and congestion of great cities. To this charm this mingling of city life with the possibilities of individual leisure, Washington owes no small part of its wealth. To it is attributable the erection of many residences justly to be characterized as palatial for winter occupation, while houses all of fair aspect are today

found in a section of the northwest in which the census enumerators of 1900 discovered but a sparse population.

BURGLARS "COP" SAVINGS.

OCOONTO, Wis., May 14.—The safe in the store of H. A. Baldwin at Mountain, this county, was blown open by dynamite and about \$850 stolen. Seven hundred ninety-five dollars of the stolen money belonged to a woodman named Frank Walman, who had recently drawn it from the bank and intended leaving in a few days for his old home in Denmark.

Kidney complaint kills more people than any other disease. This is due to the disease being so insidious that it gets a good hold on the system before it is recognized. Foley's Kidney Cure will prevent the development of fatal diseases of taken in time. O. T. Erhardt.

"An Authority" Defined

During the early days of Big Tim Sullivan's service in the house of representatives there occurred a discussion between him and Representative Alexander of Buffalo, touching the right of a third representative to pose as an authority on finance. Sullivan insisted that the member in question had every right to speak like an oracle.

"What is your definition of an authority?" suddenly asked Alexander. "My notion of an authority," instantly retorted Big Tim, "is a man who bluffs beyond my limit."—Philadelphia Record.



If you want "SOMETHING" which your friend, THE GROCER, now has to sell, don't wiggle one ear at him, or make a noise like a peanut. That makes him feel distressed.

STERLING HAS A BUSY NEWS WRITER

HE SAYS LA CROSSE WILL FARM PLAYERS THERE

MANAGER HAWLEY NOT AWARE

Same Dope Fiend Has Killian Managing Team During the Winter—Eberly to Pitch Today

The sporting writer from Sterling, Ill., the home of Joe Killian, is getting busy again and yesterday sent a special dispatch to the Chicago Record-Herald to the effect that Sterling would be the "farm" for the La Crosse team and that when the time came for the releasing of the overstock, they would be sent to Sterling.

Manager Hawley was shown the dispatch this morning and said that it was something new to him. The work is probably that of the same party who had Killian elected captain of this year's "Pinks," and also had him scouting around the country in quest of material.

The St. Paul Colored Gophers stopped off at La Crosse this morning enroute from Galesville to New Albin, where they are scheduled to play this afternoon. While here they called on President Elliott and members of the local team.

Unless the weather man interferes today, Eberly will do the slab work for the locals, and Flynn will be used tomorrow.

FORMER LA CROSSE CO. WOMAN DEAD

The Jefferson, Wis., Banner contains the following account of the death of Mrs. Jennie Bosshard, a former Midway, Wis., girl:

"Mrs. Jennie Bosshard, widow of the late Charles Bosshard, who preceded her in death in March, 1904, followed him to the world above Friday, May 8, 1908, at her home in Tolley, N. D., where she had resided for the past year. Deceased, nee Lytle, was born March 19, 1870, at Midway, La Crosse county, and her age was therefore only 38 years, one month and nineteen days.

"She came to Jefferson when a young girl sixteen years of age, making her home with the family of the late James Lytle, in whose office she was employed until she was married to Mr. Chas. Bosshard, May 14, 1891. Their happy union was blessed with two children, one daughter, Phyllis, now 15 years of age, and one son, Royal, 13 years old. After the death of her husband her health failed and some time afterwards she went with her children to Ashville, N. C., where she remained for a year. Last June she removed to Tolley where her brothers are engaged in business.

"Mrs. Bosshard was a woman who was greatly beloved and respected by a large circle of friends for her many lovable qualities of heart and character. During the long illness of her husband she not only tenderly cared for him but took charge of his work in the offices of the Lytle-Stoppenbach company, at Jefferson Junction, continuing as long as her health and strength would permit. Her young children mourn the loss of a most devoted and kind mother and deepest sympathy goes out to them in their sad bereavement. As a neighbor and friend she was always considerate and kind and her so early demise is a source of sincere regret to all who had the privilege of knowing her in life.

"The remains, accompanied by the children and other relatives, arrived in this city Monday morning and the funeral services were held on the afternoon of that day from the M. E. church to the Greenwood cemetery, the Rev. Kafer officiating. A quartet consisting of Mrs. Albert Jahn, Miss Pearl Fox and Messrs. Geo. J. Kispert and John M. Biesfang rendered appropriate selections at the church and cemetery. A large concourse of sorrowing friends attended the last sad rites and accompanied the remains to their last resting place. Two children, an aged mother, four brothers, one sister and many other relatives survive and mourn with many friends her loss."

HOLY TRINITY BOYS WIN THE SERIES

The young men of the Holy Trinity defeated the young men of the St. Joseph's in a bowling contest last night by a total of 13,692 to 11,851, winning the series of four games by a total of 1,281 pins. The feature of last night's bowling was the work of Wm. Balduzzi, rolling 2,081 in 100 balls:

Score:	St. Joseph.
Fries	1,491
Welsman	1,719
Dockendorf	1,686
Schilling	1,415
Tegeder	1,620
Soller	1,291
Weisnberger	1,258
Wiggert	1,371
Total	11,851

Score:	Trinity.
Mazin	1,766
Newberg	1,721
Frebig	1,523
Balduzzi	2,081
Winzel	1,769
Kohler	1,514
Birnbaum	1,614
Schelte	1,784
Total	13,692

GANS AND UNHOLZ AWAIT THE GONG

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 14.—There is keen interest among fight fans in tonight's battle between Joe Gans and the Boer Unholz for the

14th GRAND FRIDAY CHALLENGE SALE AT

Sarsaparilla. \$1.00 bottle Hood's Sarsaparilla, special 79c	Date Candy. Sugared Date Candy; special, the lb. 10c	A Different Store DOERFLINGER'S MERCHANDISE OF TONE.	The House of Stability Lawn Seeds. Large package Lawn Seeds, special 10c	Bleached Table Linen, good assortment of patterns, special at yd 39c
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AN OVERFLOW OF OPTIMISM BRINGS DISASTER TO A BIG EASTERN HOSIERY IMPORTER:—YOU PROFIT!

A SALE OF BEAUTIFUL 50c LISLE THREAD HOSIERY 29c—Main Floor.

The world had a rosy hue to the optics of a well known importer of hosiery when he selected his lines last year in far away Germany for you American women-folk to wear. Prosperity smiled and his business was growing. He bought heavily of leading makes. Then came the "bogie" man and scared the men in Wall St. Banks withdrew support from even old, tried patrons—among others our friend Mr. Hosiery Importer—and he had to raise money on his goods to pay bills due, and that quickly. He offered our hosiery buyer a hundred dozen of a well known make of German hosiery for women at almost half-price. Of course we "got in" quick. The result comes to you in a sale for Friday—and Saturday—if the quantity holds out.

—The hosiery.

Women's full fashioned fast black imported lisle in boot lace pattern, with white lace border over the boot, imported to sell for 50c. Special at the pair

29 Cents

A SALE OF SUITS

That Should Make You Fellows "Sit Up And Pay Attention!"



Dollars in your pockets if you think quickly and then act. The backward spring is giving May business a bad case of "cramps" in Men's lines. A maker of Summer Suits, in outing styles, felt the pinch and sold us a lot of swell outing suits under price. To those we have added what's left of best early selling lines in our regular stocks—see examples or the rare bargains in 4th street windows, where a few are spread out—Values! Values! Values! A treasure trove for men—Read—

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Men's Outing Suits for \$5.98
A line of men's outing suits, light patterns, checks, plaids and stripes. Coats have good lines, well set, padded shoulders, hair cloth front. Half lined trousers, medium peg top, belt loops, wide buckles, with or without cuffs, guaranteed to give satisfaction. Special at.....\$5.98

An Odd Lot of Men's Suits
One or two suits of a kind, checks, stripes, plaids and plain in worsteds, chevrons, etc. New spring styles, with or without cuffs, center vent or closed, best hair cloth fronts.

Lot 1, values to \$12, special	\$8.75
Lot 2, values to \$15, special	\$11.95
Lot 3, values to \$18, special	\$13.95

CALICOS 47sc YD.

Calicos, in dress patterns, remnant lengths, ranging from one to seven yards, in neat attractive effects, pink, red and grey colorings, and black and white—special for Friday at yard 47c
Basement "Economy Section."

Now Frame 'That Photo'

\$1.25 Photo Frames 48c
A lot of about 75 metal photo frames, a variety of styles to select from, worth to \$1.25, special 48c
A Furniture Shop Bargain—Third Floor.

HERE! HOUSEWIVES

A GROUP OF GROCERY SAVINGS.

Baking Powder, K. C. Brand, 25 oz., guaranteed absolutely pure, for 15c
Peaches, Teepee Brand, fancy eastern packed in syrup. No. 3 can for 19c
Plums, Royalton Brand, choice fruit packed by the Batavia Preserving Co., No. 3 can for 13c
Soda Crackers, strictly fresh, lb. 6c



CONFUSION TO THE RAINMAKER!

Splendid 75c Umbrellas for

50c

What will you wager this offer won't stop the Rainmaker who's been working overtime of late? At any rate the umbrellas are great bargains. They have steel rods, splendid mercerized covering, handsome metal or horn handles (any one of which is actually worth more than we ask for the umbrella) and are thoroughly well made. Best regular 75c values. Special 50c
Friday at

LUCKY! IF YOU NEED SHOES MILADY.



Unusual Offerings of Oxfords—Main Floor.

Women's Oxfords \$2.85

Women's oxfords, the newest shapes and styles in patent colt and gun metal, button, Blucher and lace styles, extension soles. Cuban and regular heels, all sizes and widths. Special the pair \$2.85

Misses' Oxfords \$1.39

Misses' patent colt oxfords, Blucher style, orthopedic foot form last, extension soles, two eyelet tie, sizes 8 1/2 to 2. Special at the pair \$1.39

FOR THE DENS AND "KOZY KORNERS"

25c Sofa Cushion Top 19c.
Handsome Oriental—striped sofa cushion tops, tassels at corners, regular 25c value, special 19c
Tapestry Pillow Tops in pretty scenes at 25c
New line of Lithograph pillow tops at 25c
Art Needlecraft Shop—Main Floor.

"LOOKS LIKE 30c"

Your Saving on Preserve Kettles.—Basement.

39c EACH
69c Blue and White Enameled Preserve Kettle, 4, 5 and 6 qt. sizes, special, your choice for 39c

FIND BOYS AFTER A LONG SEARCH

MANITOWOC, Wis., May 14.—Failing to return home Saturday evening from a sojourn in the woods where they had gone to pick May flowers, Steven Wanish and Henry Engel, students at the Park school worried their parents and neighbors until the lads were located Sunday afternoon at the home of their grandmother in Clark's Mills, eighteen miles northwest of the city, whither they had strolled from Morse's woods north of the city. A search was made all Saturday night in the woods north and west of the city by a searching party of fifteen, the streams were dragged, but no trace of the young lads could be found.

CASSIBOINE GETS SECOND BASEMAN

FORT WAYNE, Ind., May 14.—Martin Nye, who has been playing second base at Zanesville, has been released by Manager Hogan. He probably may get a post with Madison in the Wisconsin-Illinois league. Nye was worked out with the locals early in the season.

PLAN BIG WELCOME AT GREEN BAY 20TH

GREEN BAY, Wis., May 14.—This city on May 20 will go into holiday attire to welcome the local ball team in its opening game with Freeport. President Murphy of the local club is the moving factor in the effort to make the demonstration surpass any heretofore. Fitchers La Belle and Francis, warm weather workers, are in training here awaiting the homecoming of the team.

CROSS JOINS OUTLAWS.

PHILADELPHIA, May 14.—A deal has been completed by which Lave Cross, recently released by New

WHAT IS A... MERCURY FOOT ASK THE MAN